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Tax Petition Okay

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Secy. of State James C. Kirkpatrick said today the anti-income tax forces of state Sen. Earl R. Blackwell, D-Hillsboro, had collected enough signatures to force the tax boost law to a referendum test by the voters.

He said there were enough signatures collected in the 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, and 10th congressional districts. Under the constitution the number of signatures on referendum petitions must at least equal 5 per cent of those voting in the last election for governor in at least seven of the 10 congressional districts.

Kirkpatrick said the count has not been completed but he felt it expedient to make the announcement as soon as the count showed sufficient signatures.

Gov. Warren E. Hearnes, who had expected the referendum drive to be successful, said he had no comment immediately. He said he might have something to say about it in his message to the special session of the legislature that convenes next Monday.

Directors Elected

Directors of the Sikeston Industrial Development Corporation met at the city administration building last night and elected seven men to three - year board terms.

They were Bob Mitchell, Fielding Potashnick, Charles Mitchell, Charles Stamp, John Moll, Clem Beal and Don Agnew. All but Agnew were re-elected. Agnew replaces Jack Hogan, who has moved from Sikeston.

Allan Blanton was elected to fill an unexpired term of Bud Davis, who has moved to Memphis. The term runs to 1971.

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

For the first time since World War II, all of Europe's major nations and power blocs appear to be close to speaking terms with each other at the same time.

West Germany and the Soviet Union are busy negotiating an agreement to renounce the use of force. West Germany also is on the verge of starting talks with the Communist satellite nations of Poland and Czechoslovakia. And, wonder of wonders, East and West Germany have exchanged notes exploring the possibility of starting talks.

Now that Charles De Gaulle no longer is the president of France, objections to British membership in the European Common Market seem to have evaporated. And the economic alliance, consisting at present of France, West Germany, Italy, Luxembourg, Belgium and the Netherlands, appears to be on the verge of admitting Ireland, Norway and Denmark, as well as the traditionally opposed England.

The Soviet Union and its Warsaw Pact associates have invited Western European nations to participate in a European security conference, and North Atlantic Treaty Organization allies meeting last December in Brussels approved a resolution which did not rule out the Communist proposal.

Although the flurry of diplomatic activity is, on some fronts, only tentative, at this point, the very fact that traditional opponents are talking publicly about talking with each other is heartening to those who would like to see a reduction in European tension.

The West German talks with the Soviet Union, actually, are rather one- sided. The Russians, as a condition for membership in the United Nations, already have agreed to renounce the use of force. Although it is questionable whether the Soviets have adhered to the agreement, it is on record. West Germany, since it is not a United Nations member, has not signed the U.N. agreement to forego force. But by negotiating such an agreement with the Soviet Union, the Bonn government hopes to set the stage for greater cooperation with the Eastern nations, including closer economic ties.

Talks between the West Germans and Poland, which governments of both countries have indicated they favor, would center on Polish demands that West Germany recognize the legality of Poland's seizure at the end of World War II of German territories east of the Oder-Neisse rivers.

And West Germany, in response to a Czech invitation, has declared it is willing "at any time" for talks with the Prague government aimed at establishing normal diplomatic relations between the two countries.

An East German call for talks with West Germany contains demands previously rejected by West Germany that the Bonn government recognize East Germany as a separate nation and that West Berlin be set up as an independent state, with formal recognition from both East and West Germany.

The West German reply skirted the issue of the Communist demands. West German President Gustave Heinemann wrote he was passing the East German proposal to the coalition government of Socialist Chancellor Willy Brandt. It was expected the Bonn government would agree to the talks, but not to the Berlin government's demands for formal recognition.

No date has been set for talks on admitting new members to the European Common Market, but a French representative has indicated the negotiations could start by the middle of 1970. Former President De Gaulle blocked British membership for years, following Britain's refusal to join the Common Market when it was first formed. With De Gaulle no longer on the scene, it is more likely than ever that Britain will get in.

The Communist bloc nations recently issued a call for Western European nations to join them in a discussion of European security. The Communists said they had in mind the renunciation of force by both sides and broadened technical and scientific cooperation between East and West.

The NATO nations recently approved a vague resolution with the counterproposal that more meaningful issues be discussed, such as "mutual and balanced force reductions" by both sides in Europe. The resolution cautioned against a conference which would simply "Ratify the present division of Europe."

Exiled Biafran Leader Accuses Nigeria of Plotting Genocide

GENEVA (AP) — Gen. C. Odumegvu Ojukwu charged today Nigeria seeks to draw an iron curtain around conquered Biafra in order to carry out genocide. He appealed for a neutral force to prevent it.

"The sole motive behind Nigeria's determination to draw an iron curtain over Biafra and exclude international observers, relief agencies, journalists ... is to make sure that the atrocities they will certainly carry out in Biafra is unseen and unreported in the world press," the former Biafran leader said from a secret hideout.

"I repeat the aims of Nigeria are genocidal—the test that the contrary is the case would be her willingness to admit humanitarian agencies whom Gowon has now openly declared he will exclude."

Maj. Gen. Yakubu Gowon is Nigeria's leader.

Ojukwu also appealed for the world to help Biafrans whom he described as starving and exhausted after an unsuccessful fight for independence from Nigeria.

"I implore the world to rise to this desperate need, to mount all possible pressures on Nigeria to insure that food gets to my people," Ojukwu said in a statement distributed by Markpress in Geneva.

Markpress, public relations consultant acting as Biafra's overseas press service, said it got the statement "directly from Gen. Ojukwu."

It said it was under strict instructions not to reveal the general's whereabouts. It added, however, it obtained the statement from the Biafran mission in Lisbon, Portugal.

Markpress has received all communications from Biafra through the Lisbon mission.

Ojukwu said: "I appeal to all governments and international organizations, countries and churches of the world, men and women of good will, to both our friends and enemies ... to come forward to assist and protect the lives and talents of Biafra."

Ojukwu, who fled Biafra ahead of sweeping Nigerian troops last weekend, said he left his province "knowing that while I live, Biafra lives. If I am no more it would be only a matter of time for the noble concept to be swept into oblivion."

Ojukwu declared his province, inhabited chiefly by Ibo tribesmen, independent from the rest of Nigeria on May 30, 1967. He accused the central government of trying to obliterate the Ibos.

Patterson Tells of Tax Hike Need

State Sen. J. F. "Pat" Patterson, Caruthersville, centered a talk to the Lions Club yesterday on the need of a state income tax increase.

The issue erupted into a controversial issue when Sen. Earl Blackwell, Hillsboro, launched a referendum petition campaign to block the increase.

The increase had been scheduled to go into effect Jan. 1.

It is expected Gov. Warren Hearnes will call an election for a vote on the issue as a result of Blackwell's petitions

Patterson, who spoke at the Rustic Rock, Inn, says schools, higher education, mental health care and state agencies will be severely hurt if the increase is not approved.

Kennedy Hit By Car, Hurt

Sig Kennedy, 76, 703 Gulf, was bruised this morning when he stepped in front of a car at North Main and Lake at 8:30 a.m.

Robert L. Hambrick, 515 Carroll, said Kennedy stepped out from behind a car. Hambrick was traveling north. Kennedy told officers he did not see the Hambrick car approach.

The injured man was taken to the Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

Driver Injured

James French, 43, St. Louis, driver of a 1968 Ford pickup truck failed to stop at a stop sign at the junction of highways 67 and 31 in Wayne County, lost control, went across the road and struck a dirt embankment at 1:35 a.m. today.

He received a leg injury and was taken to Doctors hospital in Poplar Bluff.

Pistol Stolen

Police reported a Colt .38 pistol was stolen at 8:37 a.m. Wednesday from a show case at Homestead Distributing Company.

Two Men Held At Jackson

JACKSON - The Cape Girardeau county Sheriff's Office reported today that they were holding James Willis Beal, 28, Grandin, and Cornel Lee Stacy, 25, Doniphan.

Police picked up the two men at 3 a.m. today. Articles in their possession were being checked.

Beal, owner and operator of a cafe, is being held in the county jail for the Federal Bureau of Investigation on a charge of interstate transportation of an automobile from Danville, Va. to Vanita, Okla. in July of 1969. His bond has been set at $3,000.

Officers said Stacy, a cafe employe, is wanted in Arkansas in connection with a burglary of a jewelry store along with Beal.

Police then stopped two men for a car license check and discovered both were wanted in Heber Springs, Ark., and one was wanted in Tulsa.

The two were arrested when police said they found diamond rings, watches, knives and pistols in the car.

Police said James W. Beal, 28, of Grandin is wanted by the FBI in Tulsa for inter state transport of a stolen car.

The FBI said Beal appeared before a U. S. commissioner in Jackson today and was remanded to custody of the U. S. marshal in St. Louis in leiu of $3,000 bond. Agents said Beal would be moved to Tulsa for trial.

The FBI said both Beal and the other from Doniphan, are wanted in Heber Springs in connection with a series of burglaries.

Weather

Cloudy tonight and Friday with a chance for showers Friday. Low tonight 30 to 35. High Friday in 50s. Probability for measurable precipitation 40 per cent Friday.

HIGH AND LOW YESTERDAY

High and low temperatures for the 24-hour period ending at 7:30 a.m. today were 41 and 21 degrees.

Sunset today ..... 5:05 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow ..... 7:11 a.m.
Moonset tomorrow ..... 2:18 a.m.
Full Moon ..... Jan. 22
PROMINENT CONSTELLATION
Orion in southeast ..... 7:47 p.m.
VISIBLE PLANETS
Saturn west of the moon.
Mars sets ..... 9:39 p.m.
Jupiter rises ..... 1:06 a.m.

90-Day Sentence on Driving Charge

BENTON -- Donald Jean McWhirter, Bertrand, was sentenced to 90 days in jail Wednesday in magistrate court on a charge of driving while intoxicated. Judge John Sides suspended a $100 fine on the charge upon payment of court costs.

Maureen Tidmore, Oran, was fined $5 for careless driving. Tommy Creacy, West Frankfort, Ill., was fined $15 on the same charge.

William Neal, Palmyra, Ill., was fined $18 for driving a truck in Missouri without a public service commission permit.

A. R. Burger III, Oran, was fined $13.50 for speeding. Bill Sadler, Morley, was fined $10 for disturbing the peace. He was given a 30-day suspended jail term.

James E. Moore III, assistant Scott County prosecuting attorney, represented the state.

Charleston to Vote On Urban Renewal

CHARLESTON - The city council met in regular session Tuesday night with Mayor Joe W. Layton presiding.

The council set Feb. 24 at the date for special election on urban renewal.

The council approved a bid from Peachy Lutz of $140.80 for the purchase of a 20-inch by 12-inch bronze plaque to be erected in the Dr. E. Charles Rowlings park. The price includes the mounting.

Bids were received from three firms on making a comprehensive study of the city sewer and water system with recommendations for expansion of the distribution and collection system. The council will take the quotes under advisement and vote on them at the next meeting.

Signs calling attention to Charleston as the home of Gov. Warren E. Hearnes will be moved to the Paul Handy Moore land one-half mile west of the city by the city crew within the next month. The council discussed the possibility of changing the lighting of the signs due to the high cost of the present lighting system. City manager Richard Martin is to check on the cost of vapor lighting.

Maurice Newlon met with the council and requested a no parking sign be removed from the south side of East Cypress between First Street and Matthews. The board approved the removal of the sign except for the first 100 feet.

The police court, fire reports and expenditures for the city for the month of December were approved.

City manager Richard Martin will make a study on converting Market Street from Main to First and from Main to Center to a one way street to allow diagonal parking.

Finger Injured

David Lee Culbertson of Sikeston hit his index finger, right hand, with a sledge hammer in craft class at Sikeston high school. His injury was treated in Missouri Delta Community hospital Wednesday.

News Briefs

New Commercial Satellite

CAPE KENNEDY, Fla. (AP) — A commercial communications satellite zipped through a great oval orbit today, carrying a rocket motor which must fire successfully Friday to avoid a multi-million-dollar insurance payoff by an international group of underwriters.

The Intelsat 3 payload rode into space Wednesday night aboard a Delta booster.

The first three stages of the Delta fired flawlessly and propelled the 642-pound satellite into a preliminary orbit ranging from about 165 to 22,700 miles above the earth.

But the insurance companies won't be able to breathe easy until the fourth stage fires for a 27-second burst about 9 a.m. EST Friday. The ignition is to kick the payload into a stationary orbit 22,300 miles above the Atlantic Ocean, where it is to serve as a telephone and television link between North and South America, Europe and Africa.

Can Meet Standards

DETROIT (AP) — General Motors President Edward N. Cole says his firm can meet increasingly tough federal pollution standards and produce an "essentially pollution free" car by 1980.

But, the head of the nation's No. 1 automaker told the Society of Automotive Engineers Wednesday, the federal government could help if it would quickly make known its plans for future exhaust emission standards.

Cole said time is needed for the automobile industry—which designs cars several years in advance—and the fuel industry to meet new standards.

"It is my opinion that the gasoline internal combustion engine can be made essentially pollution free in the hands of the public," Cole said.

He said one possible route to more effective pollution control would be elimination of the antiknock compound tetra-ethyl lead.

Trial Date of March 19 Set

City Court Judge James Sickal set March 19 as a trial date for the Rev. Harold F. Lohrman, who is charged with interferring with a police officer, resisting arrest, destruction of private property and disorderly conduct.

The clergyman entered a plea of innocent.

The date was set in a hearing Wednesday at the police station court room. The Rev. Mr. Lohrman's charges stem from an incident involving him and Police Chief Arthur Bruce at the station last year. The minister, pastor of Concordia Lutheran church, is free on $100 bond.

In other action yesterday, Delmar Barks was fined $16 for speeding.

Doyle Stokes was fined $31 for careless driving.

Tom Flippo was fined $31 for assault.

Paul D. Phillips was fined $56 for threatening a person with a dangerous weapon. He was fined $21 for disturbing the peace.

William Timothy Kirk was fined $51 for careless driving.

Charles W. Richey was fined $15 for peace disturbance.

Bennie Darty was fined $11 for careless driving.

Dale Lewis was fined $11 for destroying city property.

Mac Dodd was fined $21 for resisting arrest.

Sikeston's Outstanding Young Man Will Be Announced

Sikeston's outstanding young man of 1969 will be announced tomorrow at the Jaycee's annual distinguished service award dinner at the Country Club at 6:30 p.m.

A committee headed by Jaycee Don Newton has been canvassing churches, businesses, clubs and organizations to determine which young man, 21 through 35, has contributed most to the community during the year. Last year's winner was Stan Eudy.

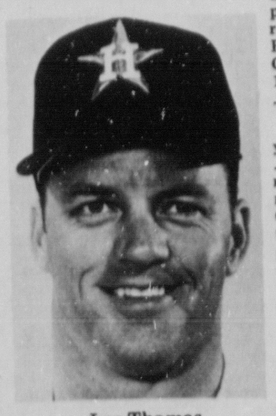
The winner will be entered in the Missouri Jaycee contest, which chooses the eight outstanding young men in the state. Those winners will be entered in the U. S. Jaycees competition to determine America's ten outstanding young men.

Outfielder Lee Thomas of the Houston Astros, representing Falstaff Brewing Corporation of St. Louis and Locke Distributint Company will address the Jaycees.

Thomas has logged eight years in the major leagues after a travel-filled six-season apprenticeship in the minors. The 6-foot - 2, 200-pound product of St. Louis' Beaumont high school bats left-handed and throws right. He celebrated his 32nd birthday Feb. 5, 1969.

Lee, signed by New York Yankee Super - Scout Lou Maguola to a bonus contract for the Yanks' Three-Eye League farm club at Quincy in 1955, matriculated to the majors via Binghampton, New York (Eastern League), Winston - Salem, N. C. (Carolina League), Richmond, Va. (International League) and Amarillo, Tex (Texas League). His first shot at a major league berth came in 1961 when he was traded with Ryen Duren and Johnny James to the Los Angeles Angels for Bob Cerv and Tex Clevenger.

He responded with a .285 batting average, swatted 24 home runs and batted in 70 runs for the Gene Autry - owned club. In that season, he tied an all-time major league record by collecting nine hits in a doubleheader against the Kansas City Athletics. He had a perfect 5 for 5 in the first game and went 4 for 6 in the nightcap. Three of those safeties were home runs, giving him another equalizer for an all-time major league record – 19 total bases in one day. Ironically, the Angels lost both games in spite of Thomas efforts.



Lee Thomas

The 1962 season marked the highest finish for an expansion club, as the Angels wrapped up third place in the American League. Thomas was a definite factor in the attack, batting .290, socking 26 homers and driving in 104 runs. His productivity fell off in '63, resulting in a trade to the Boston Red Sox in mid-1964 for Lou Clinton. He finished strong with 15 homers and 65 RBI's and a .265 average.

In 1965, he spent the entire year with the Bosox, compiling a .270 average. Twenty - two round - trippers and 70 RBI's resulted. Lee was dealt to the Chicago Cubs in '66 for a two-year stint that saw him performing mainly in a pinch -hitter's role. He was traded to the Astros prior to the 1968 campaign. Pinch - hitting and part-time outfield duty brought only a .200 bat mark, one homer and 20 RBI's.

Thomas, his wife and two sons, Deron and Daryl live in Ferguson.

Specialist Says Circumstances Rare He Would Prescribe 'Pills'

WASHINGTON (AP) — A noted birth control specialist said today women are in a grim race with laboratory animals to determine the safety of the pill.

"The ultimate outcome of this race between dogs, monkeys and women can be anticipated by informed observers only with great apprehension and concern," Dr. Roy Hertz told the Senate monopoly subcommittee.

Hertz is chairman of the cancer task force of a Federal Food and Drug Administration advisory panel that twice has reported on the growing number of suspected hazards in taking oral contraceptives.

Testifying on the second day of hearings into the safety of oral contraceptives, Hertz said it might take years to confirm suspected links between the pill and cancer of the breast and uterus.

But he said it would be a "rare circumstance indeed" that would cause him to prescribe most current pills.

Hertz said much early testing of the pill had been misinterpreted. He blamed fear of the population explosion and drug industry pressure for creating a worldwide enthusiasm that hampers "truly comprehensive and objective evaluation of its merits and demerits."

Although Hertz made only passing reference to the drug industry, another witness blamed the drug makers for dispensing "untruthful and dangerous advice."

Dr. Edmond Kassouf, identified by subcommittee spokesmen as one of the first American practitioners to suspect serious side effects from the pill, said pamphlets given consumers failed to take note of studies definitely linking oral contraceptives to fatal blood clotting and other disorders.

Kassouf also accused the American Medical Association of having a "puzzling" record on birth control pills, refusing to publish or take note of some critical reports.

In testifying on the risk of cancer, Hertz singled out the widely used synthetic female hormone estrogen and said the overwhelming mass of studies had showed it caused cancer in mice, rats, rabbits, hamsters and dogs.

"It is also to be noted that all chemicals known to produce tumors in man such as aniline dyes, arsenic, coal tar and thorium also produce tumors in experimental animals and frequently in the same site," Hertz said.

Estrogen, a synthetic form of a female sex hormone, is the key agent in birth control pills. British researchers recently reported a link between high incidence of blood clotting and the use of pills containing more than 50 micrograms of estrogen and urged users to switch to brands containing not more than 50 micrograms.

Perhaps half of the estimated 8.5 million American pill users take products containing more than 50 micrograms. About 25 million micrograms equal to once ounce. U.S. health officials have asked the British for their research figures.

Prospects for Small Plant Called Good

Keith Ziegenhorn, member of the Sikeston Chamber of Commerce industrial committee, said yesterday prospects are good for obtaining a small industry in mid- February that will employ from 25 to 30.

He said a bond issue may be required but explained no increase in taxes would be involved.

Ziegenhorn said negotiations with a major manufacturing concern also are pending.

Company names were not announced.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!
BEADY EYES ARE WATCHING YOU

A squirrel eating grain at a backyard bird feeder demonstrates some of the practical lessons of life in this competitive world.

As you watch the squirrel, you realize that he also is watching you, even though you are peering through a slit between the curtains in the house. Just move the curtain and he is likely to jump.

While he has one eye on you, the squirrel also will be first to spy the neighborhood cat quietly moving into the yard from behind the garage, or the dogs that delight in chasing him up a tree. At the same time, he is wary of the bluejays that gather in the treetops to scold him.

All the time, the squirrel keeps eating, the grains of corn or wheat held in his front paws while he nibbles away. But not for one moment does he relax his guard. He realizes it's a good world - if he holds his own. It's up to him to protect himself, because nature seems to have surrounded him with enemies.

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FOR SAFER DRIVING ... Our suggestion to all Drivers --IT HAS TO BE DONE - AND SPEEDILY --

Trucks hauling a Mobile Home and/or trucks hauling five to seven new cars must be removed from two-lane state highways. The mobile - home hauling trucks take up more than their share of the road! Cars following, or cars approaching them, find it most difficult to pass. Both trucks annoy all drivers. First, they are irritated, aggravated, then angry. And some drivers may try to pass. The whole set-up is too dangerous. - ALSO: they charge railroad freight rates in transporting the mobile homes and new cars. Take them from the two-lane highways and ship by railroad. It has to be ordered - and speedily ... for safety's sake.

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CHEAP STUNTS

Ho-hum.

A Massachusetts woman is suing a motion picture company for filming a nude scene in Quincy, Mass. cemetery. The plaintiff in the legal proceedings claims that the movie-makers desecrated the hallowed ground wherein her husband is buried.

We hope that the woman wins her case. We will not, however, mention the names of the actress, the producer, or the title of the film. We have been in the newspaper business long enough to suspect that the whole cheap stunt - even up to and including the law suit itself - may have been "pulled off" for the sake of publicity in the first place.

A part of the action was faked, since, it turns out, the "nude" was not really nude. The flick company had the "star" wear a flesh colored body stocking during the shooting of the challenged film sequences. Hence there was no reason for the offensive scene to have been shot in a real cemetery. A facsimile studio lot graveyard would have done just as well. Why use sacred ground - unless as a contrived attempt to "crash" the news columns by deliberately doing something which would be offensive to most people?

We see nothing wrong with motion picture firms - or any commercial enterprise - using unusual events for the sake of gaining public (and newspaper) attention. Our own pages are paid for by advertising copy sponsored by our free enterprise system's businesses, some of it quite clever. And our news columns frequently carry stories which were planned, in advance, to gain favorable attention by the press. But there is a line - not always easily defined - between legitimate publicity and crass exploitation. It is our opinion that the "nude in the cemetery" incident crossed that line.

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Sam Harbin says: "Don't keep telling the lady you are unworthy of her. Let it be a complete surprise."

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Ben Franklin said it: "Since thou art not sure of a minute, throw not away an hour."

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J. E. Harper says: "It's easy to laugh at pilltakers when you're perfectly healthy."

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R. E. Heartlein says: "The man who keeps his chin up at all times is quite likely to run into a low clothesline."

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ONE THING RUSSIA FEARS

While most of us in America find it hard to understand our continual strained relations with Russian leaders, it was interesting to note that the NATO Ministerial Council has just reaffirmed its willingness to discuss with the Kremlin and its Warsaw Pact satellites a mutual and balanced reduction of forces. The offer was originally made by the NATO leaders at a meeting last year. The Communist powers never bothered even to reply and proceeded instead to strengthen and consolidate their military positions, apparently expecting the North Atlantic allies to yield to internal pressures and plunge into "slimming" their defenses even further without any need for reciprocity on the part of their eastern opponents.

The Weekly Review reports, at present, the Warsaw Pact countries have 65 battle- ready divisions deployed in central and northern Europe against the West's equally high- trained and prepared 22 divisions, to which one could add perhaps five potentially available French divisions.

Expressed in numbers, considering the difference in the size of the formations, the Warsaw Pact armies in this particular area comprise roughly 925,000 men and the NATO strength an estimated 600,000.

The operational strength of the Communist powers is further enhanced by the fact that they are supported by large and well trained militia troops, which may be unreliable for fighting purposes but extremely useful as auxiliaries.

The logistically heavily burdened western forces can lean on no comparable aid.

Moreover, Russia and her associates keep their reservists in far more intense and systematic training than the western allies, according to the Weekly Review. This enables them to mobilize and raise the numerical strength of their armies in no time from the rear.

In terms of armor, the Communist side has in the same area, 12,500 tanks and armored vehicles as compared with the West's 5,250.

As far as the tactical air forces on this particular front are concerned, the Warsaw Pact forces dispose of 260 light bombers, and NATO 50; and some 1,300 aircraft to support ground fighting to the West's roughly 1,200. The Communists have about 2,000 fighter- interceptor aircraft; the West some 450. With 400 reconnaissance aircraft the western side is better off than the enemy with its 250.

The one thing Russia fears is America's nuclear superiority. That is why she is anxious for limitation of nuclear armaments and nuclear experiments, so that she can take advantage of her conventional superiority.

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MORE TROOP WITHDRAWAL

If you viewed the recent telecast by President Nixon on his stated plans to end the Vietnam war as we did, there is no question that he is trying to reduce the American forces and build up the South Vietnam forces so they can secure their own country's freedom.

Mr. Nixon is plainly not optimistic about a negotiated settlement soon and most Americans can understand this reasoning since the Paris peace talks have been a farce.

But increasing reports from Vietnam spell out the fact that, despite the present gloomy view, the Communist leaders in Hanoi are coming to realize that time is not on its side. Their Viet Cong forces have been shattered so that much of South Vietnam's rice farming area is now free from VC dominating and destroying influence. So far this year, the North Vietnamese army has turned to guerrilla warfare which indicates their losses have been heavy.

This is not the time to listen to those who would cut- and - run and we are closer to an honorable peace in Vietnam than at any time since this strange war drew heavily on our military assistance.

As Mr. Nixon said in announcing the next withdrawal of 50,000 more U.S. troops "...we warn the leaders in Hanoi that if infiltration and the level of enemy activity increase while we are reducing our forces, they also will be running a risk."

So now we wait and see what develops.

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Definition of sleep:
(1) if you do it at night it means you're tired.
(2) if you do it in the daytime, it means you're fired.

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IMAGE-MAKING AT STATE

The Department of State is displaying persistence in the face of difficult odds by inviting the nation's editors and broadcasters to another of its annual Foreign Policy Conferences on Thursday, Jan. 15. The most recent of these get-togethers -- last March 26-27 -- was thrown into an uproar when various journalists took umbrage at what they considered a lack of hard information offered at the sessions.

One editor stood up during a briefing to complain that what he had heard on a "background only" basis hadn't justified the cost of his trip. In his case, that was a 60-cent taxi fare from his office at the National Press Building to the State Department auditorium in Foggy Bottom.

Actually the March briefing was premature. The Nixon administration had been in office just two months and the new team at State was still trying to figure out what the U. S. foreign policy might be. Secretary of State William P. Rogers subsequently improved his image, although there are still observers who believe most policy is made by Dr. Henry A. Kissinger's "little State Department" in the White House basement.

This time the conference will be limited to one day, instead of the normal two-day program. Perhaps the Nixon administration has only half as much foreign policy to explain, compared with past administrations. Or it could be that the State Department has learned that while it is permissible to strain a reporter's credulity its is inexcusable to try his patience.

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Parson Jim Hackney says: "Here's one fact that should help to fill church pews -- church pews never skid nor hit telephone poles."

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BETTER JOBS FOR BLACKS

When asked why his local had no Negro members, a construction union official told the U. S. Civil Rights Commission in 1961 that "Nigras are all afraid of electricity." Such beliefs may prove the most formidable barrier to implementation of the Philadelphia Plan for increasing minority - group membership in the building trades and of similar equal employment opportunity programs.

The Philadelphia Plan -- saved by the White House on Dec. 22 from an early death at the hands of Congress -- sets "goals" for the numbers of nonwhite workers to be hired on construction projects financed by federal funds. Labor officials contend that the plan amounts to "union - busting" and that racial hiring quotas are expressly forbidden by Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

The Nixon administration, of course, takes a different view. Secretary of Labor George P. Shultz said on Sept. 23 that a "quota is a system which keeps people out," whereas "What we are seeking are objectives to get people in." A White House statement of Dec. 19 declared that "The civil rights policy to which this administration is comitted is one of demonstrable deeds -- one of the things that counts most is earning power." The administration reportedly is preparing to move beyond the Philadelphia Plan to attack discriminatory hiring practices in states which receive large amounts of federal assistance.

But the simple act of hiring black workers goes only part of the way toward ending inequities in employment opportunity. J. W. Lawrie has pointed out (PSYCHOLOGY TODAY, November 1969): "Skills training is not enough. There is a whole domain of acculturation that has to be programmed. It takes time and experience to learn the game of work: concepts of time, work values and breaking - out - of - the ghetto - ethic are all slowly and painfully learned." White workers, in general, are accustomed to taking the long view -- tomorrow ... next year ... when I retire -- while unemployed blacks tend to take each day as it comes. The misunderstandings that arise when these two conflicting outlooks clash will require time and patience to overcome.

Isn't It Always that Way with Peacemakers?

TOMORROW
JANUARY 15 - THURSDAY
ARBOR DAY. Jan. 15. Jordan.
FURNITURE MANUFACTURERS SHOW. Jan. 15-20. Paris, France.
SEIJIM NO HI or ADULTHOOD DAY. Jan. 15. Japan.

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Paper Clam Shells?

At this writing the leading nations have agreed to the creation of $9.5 billion in Special Drawing Rights over the next three years. The SDR's are a fiduciary reserve asset, intended to stand alongside a nation's gold holdings as part of the reserves it depends on for settling its international deficits and supporting its currency. It is because of this intention that the SDR's have become known as "paper gold."

There is no reason, in principle, why this form of asset should not be a satisfactory substitute for gold in international monetary reserves. But then there is no reason, in principle, why clam shells could not serve the same purpose. All that is needed is that the major trading nations genuinely regard them as an acceptable reserve asset, and behave accordingly.

However, these are not questions to be answered by abstract reasoning. We are rather sure that clam shells would not actually work as a substitute for gold in monetary reserves, even if there were a solemn international agreement saying they should. It seems likely that, sooner or later, someone would hold up his hand and say: "But clam shells AREN'T the equivalent of gold -- no matter what the agreement says."

We are not sure at this point -- and only time will tell -- whether the SDR's will turn out to be paper gold, or only paper clam shells. We make no predicition but we are surprised by the tendency to proclaim the SDR plan a great success before it has even been initiated.

There is no denying that the problem the SDR's are intended to solve is a genuine problem -- at least under the world's present monetary arrangements. There is a shortage of gold reserves in the only sense that is important. The nations consider their gold reserves inadequate. In their efforts to increase them -- which, as things stand, one nation can do only at the expense of another -- they threaten to restrict the growth of international trade and investment.

As yet this undesirable kind of competitive action hasn't gone very far. But that is mainly because the U.S. dollar has served as a substitute for gold, albeit a not wholly satisfactory one. This leads to another set of undesirable consequences.

The flow of dollars into foreign official reserves (and into foreign private holdings) is the same as the process described from another viewpoint as "the deficit in the U.S. balance of payments." The other nations with whom we do business can always hold back some of the dollars they receive. If they are sufficiently determined, there is not much we can do to stop them.

Strangely, however, the U.S. is made to feel guilty about its payments deficit. Our "adverse balance of payments" is widely regarded as evidence of misconduct, or at least bad judgment, on the part of the U.S. The accusation comes most commonly from the very countries which have been holding on to dollars for their own purposes, and thus producing our payments deficit.

The strangest thing of all is that the U.S. itself accepts that kind of appraisal. As a desperate measure we impose restrictions on the investments abroad of our own citizens. This is supposed to reduce our payments deficit, although it is hard to see how it could do that if foreigners want to increase their dollar holdings badly enough.

Whether or not this type of U.S. reaction makes sense, it is clear that the use of dollars as a substitute for gold in the rest of the world has in practice led to some bad results. It would be better if some other workable method could be found for supplementing existing reserves. For that reason we hope that the SDR plan will be a success.

The real question is whether the nations, when they have added SDR's to their reserves, will modify their behavior in the same way they would if they added an equal mount of gold. Will their appetite for gold be satisfied by this paper substitute, and will they accordingly abjure the practices which threaten restrictions on international business? It is a large hope but it is in this way that the success of the SDR program will be measured.

In particular we are curious whether introduction of the SDR's will eventually permit, or encourage, the U.S. to abandon its controls on foreign investment. It is hard to answer that question since the control program seems to have been futile even under present circumstances.

In part, the success of the SDR's will depend on the exercise of forbearance in their creation. The real objection to clam shells as a reserve asset is that you can rake up umlimited amounts on any seashore. And if SDR's are manufactured too freely they too will lose their acceptability. For this reason it is perhaps fortunate that other nations have been less enthusiastic about the idea than the U.S.

It is not to be imagined that provision of a new reserve asset can, even on the most optimistic assumptions, solve all international monetary problems. Where the real purchasing power of a currency is badly out of line with the official exchange rates, no addition to reserves will solve that problem.

The SDR'S may be a useful interim device for resolving some of the present difficulties of the free world's monetary system. We suspect that the ultimate solution to the whole range of international monetary problems lies elsewhere.

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Three women, with their children, visited a psychiatrist. The headshrinker, taking them on as a group said to the first "You eat too much. It even shows in the naming of your child, Candy."

"You," he said to the second, "think only of money. You even named your child Penny."

The third one rose, highly indignant and said, "I'm leaving. Come along Peter."

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While interviewing an applicant for relief, a social worker, a bit shocked, asked the woman: "Don't any of your nine children have the same father?"

The woman asnwered, "Yes'm, I believe the twins have."

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ALWAYS SANDWICHES

"Your Honor," said the irate wife to the court, "this no-good husband of mine is always drinking!"

"Yes, sir, Judge," replied the husband, "I do drink some, but Your Honor, this woman doesn't treat me right. Why, I pawned the kitchen stove to git some money and she didn't miss that cookin' stove for two weeks!"

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About to marry a girl in her early 20s, the spry octogenarian went to a marriage counselor and asked how he might keep his prospective bride happy. Shaking his head, the counselor could only say: "I think you should take in a youthful boarder."

Several months later, the old gent returned to the counselor and reported that his new wife was pregnant. "I see you took my advice about the boarder," said the counselor, chuckling.

"Yep," said the octogenarian, "and she's pregnant, too."

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"I'm awfully sorry, Miss," said the store clerk, "but this five - dollar bill is counterfeit."

"Damn it," she exclaimed, "I've been seduced!"

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The kindly old gentleman was visiting the home of his daughter. He entered the room of his two grandsons and found them busy studying at their desks. The first boy was reading a book on aviation.

"What do you want to be when you grow up?" asked the grandfather.

"A pilot, sir," said the boy.

"And what do you want to be when you grow up?" the old gentleman asked the second land.

The boy looked up from the latest issue of PLAYBOY. "Nothing, sir," he said wistfully, "just growed up."

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Our WISE GUIDE defines Queer as unfamiliar.

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Grandma sent her grandson a new shirt for his birthday. Unfortunately, it had a size 14 collar, and the boy had a size 16 neck.

He dutifully write her: "Dear Granny: Thanks heaps. I'd write more - but I'm all choked up."

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KEEP 'EM CLEAN: Soap and water, or turpentine, will remove black shoe polish stains. Use alcohol for stains from tan polish ... A cloth dipped in peroxide will remove grass stains from children's shoes -- and to clean thyyoungsters' dingy sneakers (or your own) dip a brush in a detergent and water solution, then in dry baking soda and scrub ... Water ring stains on a silk tie will disappear if rubbed gently with a silver coin or spoon.

Doc. Duncan Says

Gramp sez the food stamp plan widout price control means surrender to inflation.

H.L. Hunt Says

SEEKING TRUTH AND BEAUTY

The freedom handed down to us by the Founders and the patriots who have followed them provides uncountable benefits, both material and spiritual. Through the benefits of freedom created by Republic USA, unprecendented millions of its citizens no longer must grovel in ignorance, filth and poverty. Virtually every citizen now can find time to seek truth and beauty in freedom, if he so chooses.

All of us who love freedom and Republic USA must redouble our efforts to make clear the differences between our system, which delivers the goods and the freedom to choose and enjoy, and other systems of collectivism or anarchy, which deliver largely in false promises and slavery.

If those who seek to destroy would turn their talents and their time to constructive activities, how much more good they could do. Young people particularly are seeking truth and beauty. Our information and education institutions fail the, and us, when they stress destructive actions instead of constructive actions.

We do not find truth and beauty by attacking freedom and Republic USA. Our republic exemplifies the best of freedom yet created by the hand of man. It's benefits cannot be extended to more people by destroying freedom and turning our destiny over to crime, communism, inflation and violence.

It is good that our citizens, particularly our young people, are seeking truth and beauty as never before. If we are wise we will convince the young, the apathetic and the militant that truth and beauty are sought and found through freedom, not through destruction and violence. HLH

Hal Boyle

NEW YORK (AP) — I don't know what your opinion of the 1970's is, but so far I'm not impressed.

Everybody got so worn out by the 1960's, that perhaps we all expected too much of the decade to follow it, which was heralded by its cheerleaders in glowing terms ordinarily employed by real estate developers trying to palm off a swamp.

Yes, sir, the 1970's got a tremendous advance build up. Didn't you get the hopeful feeling that it would signal the dawn of a better life and a better world?

Well, anyway I did. I thought 1970 would arrive in a blare of bugles and the waving of many banners, the dramatic striking off of age-old human chains and fetters, the lifting up of human hearts and hopes, flight after flight of bluebirds, and perhaps even the lowering of a state sales tax here and there.

I don't know how it is in your area, but after the first 15 days of the new decade, I can't see that it has made any striking major improvements on the street where I live. In fact, if it were not for the date on the calendar, it would be easy to believ ze were still back in the glum 1960's.

Life remains pretty much the mixture as before.

For example:

No flights of bluebirds have flown over my house. I did see a droop-feathered, shivering robin, his bosom a withered orange. But this early bird was getting no worms; they were asleep deep in earthen beds.

Weren't we to get June in January during the 1970's? The expectation was a fraud. The view from my window shows the same old vista of ice, snow and pavement slush. The trees stand budless and bare.

War still wanders the world with bloody sword and flaming torch. The dove of peace remains a flying fugitive, and the olive branch in its beak droops ever more limply.

Wasn't inflation to be curbed? Where I buy my groceries the price of eggs is still going up. So, I hear, is the price of practically everything else — from free love to college educations.

Way back at the start of the 1960's weren't scientists predicting an early end to the problems of cancer and the common cold? But here it is 1970 already and millions of people are still dying of the one and sniffling from the other.

Maybe I'm being too critical of the 1970's. What I'm going to do is to give them another couple of weeks to prove themselves. Then, if things don't get a darned sight better, I'm going to start looking forward to the 1980's. Surely mankind can't dwell in darkness and despair forever.

Washington Merry - Go - Round

By Jack Anderson

WASHINGTON--Frightening news for the eight million users of "The Pill" is contained in testimony that three medical men have prepared for Senate investigators.

Their statements, submitted to Wisconsin Senator Gaylord Nelson's investigators, warn that birth-control pills can cause blood clots, prolonged arthritis, and cancer of the breast and cervix.

Dr. Thelma Dunn of the National Cancer Institute, for instance, has developed evidence that Enovid in a daily liquid diet "regularly produces cancer of the cervix in mice" when fed over a "very long period."

Dr. Roy Hertz, the former reproduction research chief at the famed National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, describes in his statement how Neonovum and Ethynerone produced "breast tumors... in animals."

As a result, both pills have been withdrawn even from research use. Yet Hertz warned that "the ostrogenic component of these two mixtures is identical with that contained in most of the preparations currently marketed, and the progestational componant is a close relative of the progestagens in the mixtures still widely sold."

The tests have filled "informed observers with great apprehension and concern," said Hertz.

Their testimony will be delivered at hearings, which Senator Nelson is conducting on the side effects of oral contraceptives. Although his office refused to release advance copies of the testimony, this column was able to get them by other means.

--FDA AND AMA FAULTED--

The forthcoming testimony will reveal serious failures by the Food and Drug Administration to force adequate testing of birth-control pills. It will also accuse the American Medical Association of publishing a questionable article lauding "The Pill" to win favor with a big advertiser.

Dr. Hertz, in his advance text, reports that women starting on the pill frequently "complain of increased fullness and sensitivity of the breasts." This indicates "some type of tissue reaction is taking place," and he urges "detailed scrutiny."

Hertz said the lack of real data about the pill and possible cancer is like the "situation with respect to the pill's effect on 'blood clots' just a few years ago." Subsequently, blood clots have been acknowledged as a genuine danger in oral contraceptives. In fact, he said the inadequate knowledge about pills and cancer can be compared with what was known about lung cancer and cigarettes before statistics established their relationship.

"The estrogen-progestagen combinations do produce tumors in dogs and mice," said Hertz. These substances are found in most oral contraceptives.

Hertz declared: "I can visualize only a rare circumstance indeed in which I would recommend estrogen-progestagen mixtures for contraceptive use."

--PILL-MAKER--

Another statement, obtained by this column, was prepared for the Senate investigators by Dr. Edmond Kassouf of Cranford, N.J. As far back as 1961, he warned G. D. Searle Co. about a woman who got phlebitis while taking birth control pills. The company told him there was "no evidence to implicate the pill," but Kassouf has been investigating ever since.

In his statements, Kassouf quoted a Sept. 30, 1968, article in the Journal of the American Medical Association by Dr. Victor Drill and David Calhoun of the G.D. Searle Co. They declared "that U.S. data did not reveal a clotting or death risk," a conclusion now disputed by the Food and Drug Administration.

In the year before, other documents show, Searle had placed 77 pages of advertisements in the Journal.

Kassouf charged that literature put out by Searle, Ortho- Pharmaceutical and Parke-Davis for women using the pill continue to "mislead and misinform."

He described a long history of Food and Drug Administration vacillation on the pill and said that it is now generally agreed that "major pill clotting reactions" occur in one out of every 2,000 pill users each year.

Dr. Giles Bole, Jr., associate professor of internal medicine at the University of Michigan Medical School, gave Senate investigators a report on his studies of arthritis and the pill. He warned, however, that his findings are preliminary.

--ARTHRITIS INVOLVED--

He told of surveys taken at the University of Michigan arthritis clinic. In the spring of 1967 a 24-year-old housewife on the pill reported mild rheumatic complaints. She stopped taking the pill "and within six weeks all of her laboratory abnormalities had disappeared."

A variety of surveys on women from 15 to 45 generally bore out the results of the first woman's case. Dr. Bole said there was something of a dilemma on use of the pill because "we cannot ignore the overwhelming importance of population control as a major social and medical problem for our age."

In addition, natural pregnancy can sometime worsen arthritic diseases. Nevertheless, he said a great deal of individual thought should be given before using "oral contraceptives in patients with early or established rheumatic disease."

A fourth document, disputing the others, was prepared by Dr. Robert W. Kistner of the Harvard Medical School. He stated: "Only one decision stands: the pill is safe. It is safer than pregnancy but not as safe as continence."

Kistner said that "for every pill-induced death in Britain, there are at least 1,500 cigarette-induced deaths.

"There is no statistically valid basis for linking the pill to the various forms of cancer that occur in the female," said Kistner.

The professional evidence which the Senate hearings will produce, however, are weighted three to one against The Pill.

Ann Landers

Young, Single Male Rents From Rich, Older Widow

Dear Ann Landers: If you can get me out of this, you are a magician. I know it's my own fault, so please don't give me Hail Columbia. Just help me.

I'm a quiet person who minds her own business and stays to herself, but I let the woman next door get too friendly. I am so sick of her big mouth I could scream. I used to wonder how women could visit during the day and still get their housework done. Now I know the answer. These slobs don't do any housework, which is why they have so much time to pester those of us who do.

What really makes me furious is the way she brings all her cooking and baking mistakes over here for us to eat. I'm fed up with her burned stews and overseasoned spaghetti. Yesterday it was a pudding that didn't jell. She said, "Here's your desert for tonight. I must have left something out but it tastes fine. Drink it."

Please, Ann, tell me how to cool off this friendship without slamming the door in her face. She has made me so nervious I yell at my children and am nasty to my husband. Help! -- Trapped In My Own Home

Dear Trapped: Go to your doctor and let him tell you you need more rest. Inform your friend of the doctor's orders. Tell her you must lie down at frequent intervals that she can't come over uninvited anymore. Say, "I'll call you when I'm feeling better." And when you are feeling better and think perhaps you ought to give her a call, "just to be nice," take out this column and read it again.

Dear Ann Landers: I was interested in the study you cited recently which showed an unusually high achievement level of children born to young mothers and old fathers. (Especially male children.)

I am currently involved in another study which explains this facinating "phenomenon." The reason the child is precocious and tends to be an achiever is because the mother feels closer to the child than to her husband. Consequently, she spends an inordinate amount of time with him.

The child, as a result of this close relationship, many be an achiever, but he pays for his achievement in other ways. He is usually emotionally immature and hung-up on his mother. This makes him a poor candidate for marriage. Better Mom should have married someone in her own group and not have the kid turn out to be a superstar. Please keep plugging for everything in its own season. -- Turn Turn Turn

Dear Turn: Your assumption that the young mother spends an inordinate amount of time with her son because he is closer to her age than the old gaffer she married may or may not be true. Some of these young moms spend an inordinate amount of time with young lovers. Each case must be judged separately.

Dear Ann Landers: Our geometry teacher is groovy, great looking and not married. He used to live in an apartment but he couldn't afford it any more and moved into the beautiful, large home of an older woman who is very rich. She is a widow. Some people say he is renting a room but nobody ever saw rent receipts.

We realize high school teachers in Virginia are underpaid but what do you think about this? -- Head Of What's What

Dear Head: Not that it's really your business, but maybe your geometry teacher has discovered a new angle.

Is alcoholism a disease? How can the alcoholic be treated? Is there a cure?

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Metcalf

Metcalf's Celebrate 50th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Metcalf celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on Dec. 28 in their home. They have lived in Canalou 34 years.

The Metcalfs were married Dec. 31, 1919, in Arkansas. They are parents of Delmo Williams and Henry Metcalf, both of St. Louis, Mrs. A. C. Emerson of Santa Ana, Calif.; Mrs. Jack Cayson of Security, Colo.; and Mrs. Howard Lasters of Canalou.

Those who gathered to honor Mr. and Mrs. Metcalf were: Mrs. W. O. Burnett, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Lumsden, Mrs. C. L. Lasters, Price Baker, Mrs. Lestor Carroll, Mrs. Howard Lastors and Martha;

Mrs. Belinda and Carol Breedlove, Kerry, Sandy and Darla Lasters, Mrs. Wm. Harris, Mrs. Dessie Shepard and Emily, Mrs. Nelson Gruen, Bro. Fred Boren and wife, Mrs. Fred Lasters, Mrs. Lala McCann, Mrs. Gene Summers and Mrs. Shot Fraley;

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sexton, Mr. and Mrs. Delmo Williams and Danny, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Thoma and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith.

Master Cathey Celebrates 6th

Howard George Cathey II, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Cathey 214 Kramer, celebrated his sixth birthday Saturday with the following attending;

Peter Malone, Jimmy Cannon, Heidi Coon, Patricia Bowman, Brian Wilson, Kelly Wilson, Vincent DuPont, Phillip DuPont, Steven Green, Mark Moore, Frank Parrish, Rondall Lee Cathey, Tracy Jeffords, Gary Beaver, Jill Meyer, Jimmy Cox, Stanley Woods, Mary Dement, Craig Lopp.

Games, and refreshments of cupcakes and punch, entertained the children.

Reconciliation Dinner Planned For Friday

Plans are nearly completed for the Methodist Reconciliation Dinner.

The dinner will be held Friday at 6:30 p.m. in Bertrand United. Although 123 attended last year, plans are made to serve 150 this Friday. Meat, bread and drink are being provided by the churches. Guests should bring a vegetable, salad or dessert.

The is proclaimed a Christian "love-in" by the churches participating. Those are Dogwood, Bridges, Sikeston First and Wesley, Betrand, Wyatt, Charleston, East Prairie, Smith's Chapel, Morehouse and Blodgett.

Dr. Seth Edwards of SIU will be guest speaker.

Stars' Colors

Colors are indications of star temperatures and also tell which of the elements make up the stars. As a rule, the blue and the white stars are the hottest, while the red ones are the cooler stars.

Women's Page

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A TREE GROWS IN BROOKLYN ... A SOUTHERN TREE

NEW YORK (AP) - A magnolia tree grows in Brooklyn and neighborhood children are raising money to make sure it won't be destroyed by an urban renewal program.

The four - story - tall, 85 - year - old magnolia grandiflora, which normally flourishes in the South, has been protected from wintry winds by a brownstone apartment building in the Bedford - Stuyvesant section.

The community is selling raffle tickets - shaped like magnolia leaves - for a fund to raise $5,000 to save the building from the wrecker's ball. The horticulture Society of New York is pitching in by paying neighborhood kids one cent for each seed of the hearty tree they bring in.

The society says the tree, an evergreen, is the largest and oldest of its kind north of baltimore. In the summer it produces large, white fragrant blossoms.

Hospital Notes

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY: Released:

James Edsall, Matthews
Jesse Bell, Charleston
Charles Boyd, New Madrid
Elizabeth Bartlett, Sikeston
Mrs. Juanita Atwell & Baby Girl, Matthews
Joseph Baker, Sikeston
Green Greer, Sikeston
Paul Manker, Sikeston
Charles Musgraves, Parma
Elise Kemp, Charleston
Ada Walker, New Madrid
Mary Watson, East Prairie
Ethel Wilson, East Prairie
Virginia Mishon, Canalou
Viola McQueen, Dexter
Frankie Summers, Sikeston
Ada Broughton, New Madrid

DEXTER MEMORIAL: Admitted:
Lilly Collier, Dexter;
Sandra Minton, St. Charles, Ill.;
Virdie Vinson, Dexter;
Ester Stevens, Bloomfield;
William Malin, Patton;

Released:
Bertha Pratt, Dexter;
Otto Elder, Dexter;
Edna Ridenour, Puxico;
Lula Thrower, Dexter;
Terry Owens, St. Louis;
John Miller, Bernie;
Elva Tanner, Dexter.

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... letting him sleep in on Sunday morning.

New Arrivals

RAINWATER - Son to Mr and Mrs. Thomas Rainwater, Route 2, Lucy Lee Hospital, Poplar Bluff, Dec. 23. Name, Brian Thomas. Weight, 9 pounds, 15 ounces. First child. Mrs. Rainwater is the former Miss Kathy Eskew, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Eskew of Dexter. Mr. Rainwater is a college student, and is the son of Mrs. Edward Lowes.

LIGGETT - Son to Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Liggett, 435 College, Southeast Missouri Hospital, 10:14 p.m. Monday. Name, Darrell Wayne. Weight 7 pounds 9 ounces. First child. Mrs. Liggett is the former Miss Doris Barnes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Barnes of Bell City. Mr. Liggett is employed by Mid-West Diesel, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Liggett of Bell City.

BOMAR - Son to Mr. and Mrs. Gary Bomar to Bernie. Southeast Missouri Hospital, 10:17 p.m. Saturday. Name, Anthony Scott. Weight 5 pounds 11 ounces. First child. Mrs. Bomar is the former Miss Jeanine Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Johnson of Dexter. Mr. Johnson is employed by Johnson Refrigeration at Dexter and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Bomar of Bernie.

WILLIAMS - Son to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Williams of Oran. Southeast Missouri Hospital, 1:03 a.m. Saturday. Name, Donald Lee. Weight 6 pounds 14½ ounces. First child. Mrs. Williams is the former Miss Beneda Shoemaker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Shoemaker of Elmo. Mr. Williams is a mechanic and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dovie Williams of Oran.

RAFFETY - Son to Mr. and Mrs. Elott Raffety of Wyatt, 3:27 p.m. Monday. Name, Thomas Daly. Weight 8 pounds 2 ounces. Third child, third son. Mrs. Rafferty is the former Miss Karen Ann Collins, daughter of Mrs. John A. Collins of Indianapolis, Ind. Mr. Rafferty is self-employed and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Hunter Raffety of Wyatt.

CAYTON - Daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Cayton of Point Pleasant. Southeast Missouri Hospital, 8:07 a.m., Thursday. Name, Sandy Marie. Weight 5 pounds 13 ounces. Second child second daughter, Mrs. Cayton is the former Miss Donna Tatum daughter of Charles Tatum of Point Pleasant and Mrs. Vera Stafford of Point Pleasant. Mr. Cayton is employed at Patton, Tulley Transportation Co., and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cayton of Point Pleasant.

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Cook's Column

CELESTIAL PEACHES

1 can (29 oz.) peach halves
1 1/4 cup margine or butter
3 /4 cup firmly packed brown sugar
1 tsp. lemon juice
1 /4 cup brandy
whipped cream
nutmeg

DRAIN peaches, reserving 1/3 cup syrup. MELT margarine and sugar in large saucepan. STIR in peach syrup and lemon juice; bring to boil. ADD peaches and simmer slowly 10 minutes; baste frequently. ADD brandy; continue to simmer 5 minutes. Serve peaches warm garnished with whipped cream and dash of nutmeg. (6 servings)

NOTE: Flavor is also pleasing when brandy is substituted with 1/4 cup white corn syrup plus 1 Tablespoon brandy or rum flavoring.

Oh, really!

WASHINGTON (AP) — One out of five persons answering a survey on violence say there are situations they can imagine in which they would approve of a husband slapping a wife's face.

While 20 per cent answered yes to this question, 22 per cent said they could imagine situations in which they would approve of a wife slapping a husband's face.

But when it comes to shooting your mate, the percentage drops off drastically. Only 3 per cent said they would approve of a husband shooting his wife, and 4 per cent could imagine some justification for a wife shooting her husband.

The survey by Louis Harris Associates, sampling 1,176 adults, was taken for a task force of the National Commission on the Causes and Prevention of Violence.

The study also said "law enforcement officials receive approval from a majority of adults for the use of violence only when it is necessary to protect their lives or to carry out their legal responsibilities."

In the U.S. House of Representatives, Democrats occupy the east side of the chamber, on the speaker's right: Republicans sit across the main aisle on the speaker's left.

Popular Bird

The eagle is the bird most often chosen to represent a country or indicate rank within a country or tribe. The United States is represented by a specific species, the bald eagle.

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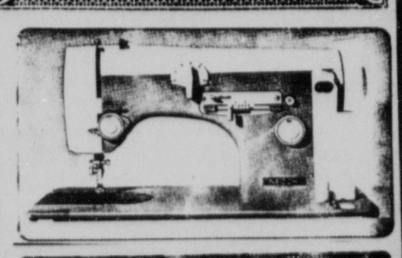

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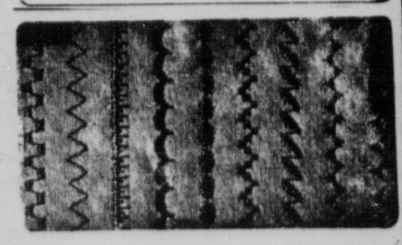

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!
BEADY EYES ARE WATCHING YOU

A squirrel eating grain at a backyard bird feeder demonstrates some of the practical lessons of life in this competitive world.

As you watch the squirrel, you realize that he also is watching you, even though you are peering through a slit between the curtains in the house. Just move the curtain and he is likely to jump.

While he has one eye on you, the squirrel also will be first to spy the neighborhood cat quietly moving into the yard from behind the garage, or the dogs that delight in chasing him up a tree. At the same time, he is wary of the bluejays that gather in the treetops to scold him.

All the time, the squirrel keeps eating, the grains of corn or wheat held in his front paws while he nibbles away. But not for one moment does he relax his guard. He realizes it's a good world - if he holds his own. It's up to him to protect himself, because nature seems to have surrounded him with enemies.

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FOR SAFER DRIVING ... Our suggestion to all Drivers --IT HAS TO BE DONE - AND SPEEDILY --

Trucks hauling a Mobile Home and/or trucks hauling five to seven new cars must be removed from two-lane state highways. The mobile - home hauling trucks take up more than their share of the road! Cars following, or cars approaching them, find it most difficult to pass. Both trucks annoy all drivers. First, they are irritated, aggravated, then angry. And some drivers may try to pass. The whole set-up is too dangerous. - ALSO: they charge railroad freight rates in transporting the mobile homes and new cars. Take them from the two-lane highways and ship by railroad. It has to be ordered - and speedily ... for safety's sake.

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CHEAP STUNTS

Ho-hum.

A Massachusetts woman is suing a motion picture company for filming a nude scene in Quincy, Mass. cemetery. The plaintiff in the legal proceedings claims that the movie-makers desecrated the hallowed ground wherein her husband is buried.

We hope that the woman wins her case. We will not, however, mention the names of the actress, the producer, or the title of the film. We have been in the newspaper business long enough to suspect that the whole cheap stunt - even up to and including the law suit itself - may have been "pulled off" for the sake of publicity in the first place.

A part of the action was faked, since, it turns out, the "nude" was not really nude. The flick company had the "star" wear a flesh colored body stocking during the shooting of the challenged film sequences. Hence there was no reason for the offensive scene to have been shot in a real cemetery. A facsimile studio lot graveyard would have done just as well. Why use sacred ground - unless as a contrived attempt to "crash" the news columns by deliberately doing something which would be offensive to most people?

We see nothing wrong with motion picture firms - or any commercial enterprise - using unusual events for the sake of gaining public (and newspaper) attention. Our own pages are paid for by advertising copy sponsored by our free enterprise system's businesses, some of it quite clever. And our news columns frequently carry stories which were planned, in advance, to gain favorable attention by the press. But there is a line - not always easily defined - between legitimate publicity and crass exploitation. It is our opinion that the "nude in the cemetery" incident crossed that line.

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Sam Harbin says: "Don't keep telling the lady you are unworthy of her. Let it be a complete surprise."

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Ben Franklin said it: "Since thou art not sure of a minute, throw not away an hour."

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J. E. Harper says: "It's easy to laugh at pilltakers when you're perfectly healthy."

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R. E. Heartlein says: "The man who keeps his chin up at all times is quite likely to run into a low clothesline."

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ONE THING RUSSIA FEARS

While most of us in America find it hard to understand our continual strained relations with Russian leaders, it was interesting to note that the NATO Ministerial Council has just reaffirmed its willingness to discuss with the Kremlin and its Warsaw Pact satellites a mutual and balanced reduction of forces. The offer was originally made by the NATO leaders at a meeting last year. The Communist powers never bothered even to reply and proceeded instead to strengthen and consolidate their military positions, apparently expecting the North Atlantic allies to yield to internal pressures and plunge into "slimming" their defenses even further without any need for reciprocity on the part of their eastern opponents.

The Weekly Review reports, at present, the Warsaw Pact countries have 65 battle- ready divisions deployed in central and northern Europe against the West's equally high- trained and prepared 22 divisions, to which one could add perhaps five potentially available French divisions.

Expressed in numbers, considering the difference in the size of the formations, the Warsaw Pact armies in this particular area comprise roughly 925,000 men and the NATO strength an estimated 600,000.

The operational strength of the Communist powers is further enhanced by the fact that they are supported by large and well trained militia troops, which may be unreliable for fighting purposes but extremely useful as auxiliaries.

The logistically heavily burdened western forces can lean on no comparable aid.

Moreover, Russia and her associates keep their reservists in far more intense and systematic training than the western allies, according to the Weekly Review. This enables them to mobilize and raise the numerical strength of their armies in no time from the rear.

In terms of armor, the Communist side has in the same area, 12,500 tanks and armored vehicles as compared with the West's 5,250.

As far as the tactical air forces on this particular front are concerned, the Warsaw Pact forces dispose of 260 light bombers, and NATO 50; and some 1,300 aircraft to support ground fighting to the West's roughly 1,200. The Communists have about 2,000 fighter- interceptor aircraft; the West some 450. With 400 reconnaissance aircraft the western side is better off than the enemy with its 250.

The one thing Russia fears is America's nuclear superiority. That is why she is anxious for limitation of nuclear armaments and nuclear experiments, so that she can take advantage of her conventional superiority.

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MORE TROOP WITHDRAWAL

If you viewed the recent telecast by President Nixon on his stated plans to end the Vietnam war as we did, there is no question that he is trying to reduce the American forces and build up the South Vietnam forces so they can secure their own country's freedom.

Mr. Nixon is plainly not optimistic about a negotiated settlement soon and most Americans can understand this reasoning since the Paris peace talks have been a farce.

But increasing reports from Vietnam spell out the fact that, despite the present gloomy view, the Communist leaders in Hanoi are coming to realize that time is not on its side. Their Viet Cong forces have been shattered so that much of South Vietnam's rice farming area is now free from VC dominating and destroying influence. So far this year, the North Vietnamese army has turned tc guerrilla warfare which indicates their losses have been heavy.

This is not the time to listen to those who would cut-and - run and we are closer to an honorable peace in Vietnam than at any time since this strange war drew heavily on our military assistance.

As Mr. Nixon said in announcing the next withdrawal of 50,000 more U.S. troops "...we warn the leaders in Hanoi that if infiltration and the level of enemy activity increase while we are reducing our forces, they also will be running a risk."

So now we wait and see what develops.

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Definition of sleep:
(1) if you do it at night it means you're tired.
(2) if you do it in the daytime, it means you're fired.

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IMAGE-MAKING AT STATE

The Department of State is displaying persistence in the face of difficult odds by inviting the nation's editors and broadcasters to another of its annual Foreign Policy Conferences on Thursday, Jan. 15. The most recent of these get-togethers -- last March 26-27 -- was thrown into an uproar when various journalists took umbrage at what they considered a lack of hard information offered at the sessions.

One editor stood up during a briefing to complain that what he had heard on a "background only" basis hadn't justified the cost of his trip. In his case, that was a 60-cent taxi fare from his office at the National Press Building to the State Department auditorium in Foggy Bottom.

Actually the March briefing was premature. The Nixon administration had been in office just two months and the new team at State was still trying to figure out what the U. S. foreign policy might be. Secretary of State William P. Rogers subsequently improved his image, although there are still observers who believe most policy is made by Dr. Henry A. Kissinger's "little State Department" in the White House basement.

This time the conference will be limited to one day, instead of the normal two-day program. Perhaps the Nixon administration has only half as much foreign policy to explain, compared with past administrations. Or it could be that the State Department has learned that while it is permissible to strain a reporter's credulity its is inexcusable to try his patience.

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Parson Jim Hackney says: "Here's one fact that should help to fill church pews -- church pews never skid nor hit telephone poles."

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BETTER JOBS FOR BLACKS

When asked why his local had no Negro members, a construction union official told the U. S. Civil Rights Commission in 1961 that "Nigras are all afraid of electricity." Such beliefs may prove the most formidable barrier to implementation of the Philadelphia Plan for increasing minority - group membership in the building trades and of similar equal employment opportunity programs.

The Philadelphia Plan – saved by the White House on Dec. 22 from an early death at the hands of Congress -- sets "goals" for the numbers of nonwhite workers to be hired on construction projects financed by federal funds. Labor officials contend that the plan amounts to "union - busting" and that racial hiring quotas are expressly forbidden by Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

The Nixon administration, of course, takes a different view. Secretary of Labor George P. Shultz said on Sept. 23 that a "quota is a system which keeps people out,' whereas "What we are seeking are objectives to get people in." A White House statement of Dec. 19 declared that "The civil rights policy to which this administration is comitted is one of demonstrable deeds -- one of the things that counts most is earning power." The administration reportedly is preparing to move beyond the Philadelphia Plan to attack discriminatory hiring practices in states which receive large amounts of federal assistance.

But the simple act of hiring black workers goes only part of the way toward ending inequities in employment opportunity. J. W. Lawrie has pointed out (PSYCHOLOGY TODAY, November 1969): "Skills training is not enough. There is a whole domain of acculturation that has to be programmed. It takes time and experience to learn the game of work: concepts of time, work values and breaking - out - of - the ghetto - ethic are all slowly and painfully learned." White workers, in general, are accustomed to taking the long view – tomorrow ... next year ... when I retire – while unemployed blacks tend to take each day as it comes. The misunderstandings that arise when these two conflicting outlooks clash will require time and patience to overcome.

Isn't It Always that Way with Peacemakers?

TOMORROW
JANUARY 15 - THURSDAY
ARBOR DAY. Jan. 15. Jordan.
FURNITURE MANUFACTURERS SHOW. Jan. 15-20. Paris, France.
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Paper Clam Shells?

At this writing the leading nations have agreed to the creation of $9.5 billion in Special Drawing Rights over the next three years. The SDR's are a fiduciary reserve asset, intended to stand alongside a nation's gold holdings as part of the reserves it depends on for settling its international deficits and supporting its currency. It is because of this intention that the SDR's have become known as "paper gold."

There is no reason, in principle, why this form of asset should not be a satisfactory substitute for gold in international monetary reserves. But then there is no reason, in principle, why clam shells could not serve the same purpose. All that is needed is that the major trading nations genuinely regard them as an acceptable reserve asset, and behave accordingly.

However, these are not questions to be answered by abstract reasoning. We are rather sure that clam shells would not actually work as a substitute for gold in monetary reserves, even if there were a solemn international agreement saying they should. It seems likely that, sooner or later, someone would hold up his hand and say: "But clam shells AREN'T the equivalent of gold -- no matter what the agreement says."

We are not sure at this point -- and only time will tell -- whether the SDR's will turn out to be paper gold, or only paper clam shells. We make no predicition but we are surprised by the tendency to proclaim the SDR plan a great success before it has even been initiated.

There is no denying that the problem the SDR's are intended to solve is a genuine problem -- at least under the world's present monetary arrangements. There is a shortage of gold reserves in the only sense that is important. The nations consider their gold reserves inadequate. In their efforts to increase them -- which, as things stand, one nation can do only at the expense of another – they threaten to restrict the growth of international trade and investment.

As yet this undesirable kind of competitive action hasn't gone very far. But that is mainly because the U.S. dollar has served as a substitute for gold, albeit a not wholly satisfactory one. This leads to another set of undesirable consequences.

The flow of dollars into foreign official reserves (and into foreign private holdings) is the same as the process described from another viewpoint as "the deficit in the U.S. balance of payments." The other nations with whom we do business can always hold back some of the dollars they receive. If they are sufficiently determined, there is not much we can do to stop them.

Strangely, however, the U.S. is made to feel guilty about its payments deficit. Our "adverse balance of payments" is widely regarded as evidence of misconduct, or at least bad judgment, on the part of the U.S. The accusation comes most commonly from the very countries which have been holding on to dollars for their own purposes, and thus producing our payments deficit.

The strangest thing of all is that the U.S. itself accepts that kind of appraisal. As a desperate measure we impose restrictions on the investments abroad of our own citizens. This is supposed to reduce our payments deficit, although it is hard to see how it could do that if foreigners want to increase their dollar holdings badly enough.

Whether or not this type of U.S. reaction makes sense, it is clear that the use of dollars as a substitute for gold in the rest of the world has in practice led to some bad results. It would be better if some other workable method could be found for supplementing existing reserves. For that reason we hope that the SDR plan will be a success.

The real question is whether the nations, when they have added SDR's to their reserves, will modify their behavior in the same way they would if they added an equal mount of gold. Will their appetite for gold be satisfied by this paper substitute, and will they accordingly abjure the practices which threaten restrictions on international business? It is a large hope but it is in this way that the success of the SDR program will be measured.

In particular we are curious whether introduction of the SDR's will eventually permit, or encourage, the U.S. to abandon its controls on foreign investment. It is hard to answer that question since the control program seems to have been futile even under present circumstances.

In part, the success of the SDR's will depend on the exercise of forbearance in their creation. The real objection to clam shells as a reserve asset is that you can rake up umlimited amounts on any seashore. And if SDR's are manufactured too freely they too will lose their acceptability. For this reason it is perhaps fortunate that other nations have been less enthusiastic about the idea than the U.S.

It is not to be imagined that provision of a new reserve asset can, even on the most optimistic assumptions, solve all international monetary problems. Where the real purchasing power of a currency is badly out of line with the official exchange rates, no addition to reserves will solve that problem.

The SDR'S may be a useful interim device for removing some of the present difficulties of the free world's monetary system. We suspect that the ultimate solution to the whole range of international monetary problems lies elsewhere.

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Three women, with their children, visited a psychiatrist. The headshrinker, taking them on as a group said to the first "You eat too much. It even shows in the naming of your child, Candy."

"You," he said to the second, "think only of money. You even named your child Penny."

The third one rose, highly indignant and said, "I'm leaving. Come along Peter."

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While interviewing an applicant for relief, a social worker, a bit shocked, asked the woman: "Don't any of your nine children have the same father?"

The woman asnwered, "Yes'm, I believe the twins have."

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ALWAYS SANDWICHES

"Your Honor," said the irate wife to the court, "this no-good husband of mine is always drinking!"

"Yes, sir, Judge," replied the husband, "I do drink some, but Your Honor, this woman doesn't treat me right. Why, I pawned the kitchen stove to git some money and she didn't miss that cookin' stove for two weeks!"

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About to marry a girl in her early 20s, the spry octogenarian went to a marriage counselor and asked how he might keep his prospective bride happy. Shaking his head, the counselor could only say: "I think you should take in a youthful boarder."

Several months later, the old gent returned to the counselor and reported that his new wife was pregnant. "I see you took my advice about the boarder," said the counselor, chuckling.

"Yep," said the octogenarian, "and she's pregnant, too."

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"I'm awfully sorry, Miss," said the store clerk, "but this five - dollar bill is counterfeit."

"Damn it," she exclaimed, "I've been seduced!"

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The kindly old gentleman was visiting the home of his daughter. He entered the room of his two grandsons and found them busy studying at their desks. The first boy was reading a book on aviation.

"What do you want to be when you grow up?" asked the grandfather.

"A pilot, sir," said the boy.

"And what do you want to be when you grow up?" the old gentleman asked the second land.

The boy looked up from the latest issue of PLAYBOY. "Nothing, sir," he said wistfully, "just growed up."

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Our WISE GUIDE defines Queer as unfamiliar.

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Grandma sent her grandson a new shirt for his birthday. Unfortunately, it had a size 14 collar, and the boy had a size 16 neck.

He dutifully write her: "Dear Granny: Thanks heaps. I'd write more - but I'm all choked up."

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KEEP 'EM CLEAN: Soap and water, or turpentine, will remove black shoe polish stains. Use alcohol for stains from tan polish ... A cloth dipped in peroxide will remove grass stains from children's shoes -- and to clean thyyoungsters' dingy sneakers (or your own) dip a brush in a detergent and water solution, then in dry baking soda and scrub ... Water ring stains on a silk tie will disappear if rubbed gently with a silver coin or spoon.

Doc. Duncan Says

Gramp sez the food stamp plan widout price control means surrender to inflation.

H.L. Hunt Says

SEEKING TRUTH AND BEAUTY

The freedom handed down to us by the Founders and the patriots who have followed them provides uncountable benefits, both material and spiritual. Through the benefits of freedom created by Republic USA, unprecendented millions of its citizens no longer must grovel in ignorance, filth and poverty. Virtually every citizen now can find time to seek truth and beauty in freedom, if he so chooses.

All of us who love freedom and Republic USA must redouble our efforts to make clear the differences between our system, which delivers the goods and the freedom to choose and enjoy, and other systems of collectivism or anarchy, which deliver largely in false promises and slavery.

If those who seek to destroy would turn their talents and their time to constructive activities, how much more good they could do. Young people particularly are seeking truth and beauty. Our information and education institutions fail the, and us, when they stress destructive actions instead of constructive actions.

We do not find truth and beauty by attacking freedom and Republic USA. Our republic exemplifies the best of freedom yet created by the hand of man. It's benefits cannot be extended to more people by destroying freedom and turning our destiny over to crime, communism, inflation and violence.

It is good that our citizens, particularly our young people, are seeking truth and beauty as never before. If we are wise we will convince the young, the apathetic and the militant that truth and beauty are sought and found through freedom, not through destruction and violence. HLH

Hal Boyle

NEW YORK (AP) — I don't know what your opinion of the 1970's is, but so far I'm not impressed.

Everybody got so worn out by the 1960's, that perhaps we all expected too much of the decade to follow it, which was heralded by its cheerleaders in glowing terms ordinarily employed by real estate developers trying to palm off a swamp.

Yes, sir, the 1970's got a tremendous advance build up. Didn't you get the hopeful feeling that it would signal the dawn of a better life and a better world?

Well, anyway I did. I thought 1970 would arrive in a blare of bugles and the waving of many banners, the dramatic striking off of age-old human chains and fetters, the lifting up of human hearts and hopes, flight after flight of bluebirds, and perhaps even the lowering of a state sales tax here and there.

I don't know how it is in your area, but after the first 15 days of the new decade, I can't see that it has made any striking major improvements on the street where I live. In fact, if it were not for the date on the calendar, it would be easy to believ ze were still back in the glum 1960's.

Life remains pretty much the mixture as before.

For example:

No flights of bluebirds have flown over my house. I did see a droop-feathered, shivering robin, his bosom a withered orange. But this early bird was getting no worms; they were asleep deep in earthen beds.

Weren't we to get June in January during the 1970's? The expectation was a fraud. The view from my window shows the same old vista of ice, snow and pavement slush. The trees stand budless and bare.

War still wanders the world with bloody sword and flaming torch. The dove of peace remains a flying fugitive, and the olive branch in its beak droops ever more limply.

Wasn't inflation to be curbed? Where I buy my groceries the price of eggs is still going up. So, I hear, is the price of practically everything else — from free love to college educations.

Way back at the start of the 1960's weren't scientists predicting an early end to the problems of cancer and the common cold? But here it is 1970 already and millions of people are still dying of the one and sniffling from the other.

Maybe I'm being too critical of the 1970's. What I'm going to do is to give them another couple of weeks to prove themselves. Then, if things don't get a darned sight better, I'm going to start looking forward to the 1980's. Surely mankind can't dwell in darkness and despair forever.

Washington Merry - Go - Round

By Jack Anderson

WASHINGTON--Frightening news for the eight million users of "The Pill" is contained in testimony that three medical men have prepared for Senate investigators.

Their statements, submitted to Wisconsin Senator Gaylord Nelson's investigators, warn that birth-control pills can cause blood clots, prolonged arthritis, and cancer of the breast and cervix.

Dr. Thelma Dunn of the National Cancer Institute, for instance, has developed evidence that Enovid in a daily liquid diet "regularly produces cancer of the cervix in mice" when fed over a "very long period."

Dr. Roy Hertz, the former reproduction research chief at the famed National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, describes in his statement how Neonovum and Ethynerone produced "breast tumors... in animals."

As a result, both pills have been withdrawn even from research use. Yet Hertz warned that "the ostrogenic component of these two mixtures is identical with that contained in most of the preparations currently marketed, and the progestational companent is a close relative of the progestagens in the mixtures still widely sold."

The tests have filled "informed observers with great apprehension and concern," said Hertz.

Their testimony will be delivered at hearings, which Senator Nelson is conducting on the side effects of oral contraceptives. Although his office refused to release advance copies of the testimony, this column was able to get them by other means.

-FDA AND AMA FAULTED-

The forthcoming testimony will reveal serious failures by the Food and Drug Administration to force adequate testing of birth-control pills. It will also accuse the American Medical Association of publishing a questionable article lauding "The Pill" to win favor with a big advertiser.

Dr. Hertz, in his advance text, reports that women starting on the pill frequently "complain of increased fullness and sensitivity of the breasts." This indicates "some type of tissue reaction is taking place," and he urges "detailed scrutiny."

Hertz said the lack of real data about the pill and possible cancer is like the "situation with respect to the pill's effect on 'blood clots' just a few years ago." Subsequently, blood clots have been acknowledged as a genuine danger in oral contraceptives. In fact, he said the inadequate knowledge about pills and cancer can be compared with what was known about lung cancer and cigarettes before statistics established their relationship.

"The estrogen-progestagen combinations do produce tumors in dogs and mice," said Hertz. These substances are found in most oral contraceptives.

Hertz declared: "I can visualize only a rare circumstance indeed in which I would recommend estrogen-progestagen mixtures for contraceptive use."

-PILL-MAKER-

Another statement, obtained by this column, was prepared for the Senate investigators by Dr. Edmond Kassouf of Cranford, N.J. As far back as 1961, he warned G. D. Searle Co. about a woman who got phlebitis while taking birth control pills. The company told him there was "no evidence to implicate the pill," but Kassouf has been investigating ever since.

In his statements, Kassouf quoted a Sept. 30, 1968, article in the Journal of the American Medical Association by Dr. Victor Drill and David Calhoun of the G.D. Searle Co. They declared "that U.S. data did not reveal a clotting or death risk," a conclusion now disputed by the Food and Drug Administration.

In the year before, other documents show, Searle had placed 77 pages of advertisements in the Journal.

Kassouf charged that literature put out by Searle, Ortho- Pharmaceutical and Parke-Davis for women using the pill continue to "mislead and misinform."

He described a long history of Food and Drug Administration vacillation on the pill and said that it is now generally agreed that "major pill clotting reactions" occur in one out of every 2,000 pill users each year."

Dr. Giles Bole, Jr., associate professor of internal medicine at the University of Michigan Medical School, gave Senate investigators a report on his studies of arthritis and the pill. He warned, however, that his findings are preliminary.

-ARTHRITIS INVOLVED-

He told of surveys taken at the University of Michigan arthritis clinic. In the spring of 1967 a 24-year-old housewife on the pill reported mild rheumatic complaints. She stopped taking the pill "and within six weeks all of her laboratory abnormalities had disappeared."

A variety of surveys on women from 15 to 45 generally bore out the results of the first woman's case. Dr. Bole said there was something of a dilemma on use of the pill because "we cannot ignore the overwhelming importance of population control as a major social and medical problem for our age."

In addition, natural pregnancy can sometime worsen arthritic diseases. Nevertheless, he said a great deal of individual thought should be given before using "oral contraceptives in patients with early or established rheumatic disease."

A fourth document, disputing the others, was prepared by Dr. Robert W. Kistner of the Harvard Medical School. He stated: "Only one decision stands: the pill is safe. It is safer than pregnancy but not as safe as continence."

Kistner said that "for every pill-induced death in Britain, there are at least 1,500 cigarette-induced deaths.

"There is no statistically valid basis for linking the pill to the various forms of cancer that occur in the female," said Kistner.

The professional evidence which the Senate hearings will produce, however, are weighted three to one against The Pill.

Ann Landers

Young, Single Male Rents From Rich, Older Widow

Dear Ann Landers: If you can get me out of this, you are a magician. I know it's my own fault, so please don't give me Hail Columbia. Just help me.

I'm a quiet person who minds her own business and stays to herself, but I let the woman next door get too friendly. I am so sick of her big mouth I could scream. I used to wonder how women could visit during the day and still get their housework done. Now I know the answer. These slobs don't do any housework, which is why they have so much time to pester those of us who do.

What really makes me furious is the way she brings all her cooking and baking mistakes over here for us to eat. I'm fed up with her burned stews and overseasoned spaghetti. Yesterday it was a pudding that didn't jell. She said, "Here's your desert for tonight. I must have left something out but it tastes fine. Drink it."

Please, Ann, tell me how to cool off this friendship without slamming the door in her face. She has made me so nervious I yell at my children and am nasty to my husband. Help! -- Trapped In My Own Home

Dear Trapped: Go to your doctor and let him tell you you need more rest. Inform your friend of the doctor's orders. Tell her you must lie down at frequent intervals that she can't come over uninvited anymore. Say, "I'll call you when I'm feeling better." And when you are feeling better and think perhaps you ought to give her a call, "just to be nice," take out this column and read it again.

Dear Ann Landers: I was interested in the study you cited recently which showed an unusually high achievement level of children born to young mothers and old fathers. (Especially male children.)

I am currently involved in another study which explains this facinating "phenomenon." The reason the child is precocious and tends to be an achiever is because the mother feels closer to the child than to her husband. Consequently, she spends an inordinate amount of time with him.

The child, as a result of this close relationship, many be an achiever, but he pays for his achievement in other ways. He is usually emotionally immature and hung-up on his mother. This makes him a poor candidate for marriage. Better Mom should have married someone in her own group and not have the kid turn out to be a superstar. Please keep plugging for everything in its own season. -- Turn Turn Turn

Dear Turn: Your assumption that the young mother spends an inordinate amount of time with her son because he is closer to her age than the old gaffer she married may or may not be true. Some of these young moms spend an inordinate amount of time with young lovers. Each case must be judged separately.

Dear Ann Landers: Our geometry teacher is groovy, great looking and not married. He used to live in an apartment but he couldn't afford it any more and moved into the beautiful, large home of an older woman who is very rich. She is a widow. Some people say he is renting a room but nobody ever saw rent receipts.

We realize high school teachers in Virginia are underpaid but what do you think about this? -- Head Of What's What

Dear Head: Not that it's really your business, but maybe your geometry teacher has discovered a new angle.

Is alcoholism a disease? How can the alcoholic be treated? Is there a cure?

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Metcalf

Metcalf's Celebrate 50th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Metcalf celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on Dec. 28 in their home. They have lived in Canalou 34 years.

The Metcalfs were married Dec. 31, 1919, in Arkansas. They are parents of Delmo Williams and Henry Metcalf, both of St. Louis, Mrs. A. C. Emerson of Santa Ana, Calif.; Mrs. Jack Cayson of Security, Colo.; and Mrs. Howard Lasters of Canalou.

Those who gathered to honor Mr. and Mrs. Metcalf were: Mrs. W. O. Burnett, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Lumsden, Mrs. C. L. Lasters, Price Baker, Mrs. Lestor Carroll, Mrs. Howard Lastors and Martha;

Mrs. Belinda and Carol Breedlove, Kerry, Sandy and Darla Lasters, Mrs. Wm. Harris, Mrs. Dessie Shepard and Emily, Mrs. Nelson Gruen, Bro. Fred Boren and wife, Mrs. Fred Lasters, Mrs. Lala McCann, Mrs. Gene Summers and Mrs. Shot Fraley;

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sexton, Mr. and Mrs. Delmo Williams and Danny, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Thoma and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith.

Master Cathey Celebrates 6th

Howard George Cathey II, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Cathey 214 Kramer, celebrated his sixth birthday Saturday with the following attending;

Peter Malone, Jimmy Cannon, Heidi Coon, Patricia Bowman, Brian Wilson, Kelly Wilson, Vincent DuPont, Phillip DuPont, Steven Green, Mark Moore, Frank Parrish, Rondall Lee Cathey, Tracy Jeffords, Gary Beaver, Jill Meyer, Jimmy Cox, Stanley Woods, Mary Dement, Craig Lopp.

Games, and refreshments of cupcakes and punch, entertained the children.

Reconciliation Dinner Planned For Friday

Plans are nearly completed for the Methodist Reconciliation Dinner.

The dinner will be held Friday at 6:30 p.m. in Bertrand United. Although 123 attended last year, plans are made to serve 150 this Friday. Meat, bread and drink are being provided by the churches. Guests should bring a vegetable, salad or dessert.

The is proclaimed a Christian "love-in" by the churches participating. Those are Dogwood, Bridges, Sikeston First and Wesley, Betrand, Wyatt, Charleston, East Prairie, Smith's Chapel, Morehouse and Blodgett.

Dr. Seth Edwards of SIU will be guest speaker.

Stars' Colors

Colors are indications of star temperatures and also tell which of the elements make up the stars. As a rule, the blue and the white stars are the hottest, while the red ones are the cooler stars.

Women's Page

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A TREE GROWS IN BROOKLYN ... A SOUTHERN TREE

NEW YORK (AP) - A magnolia tree grows in Brooklyn and neighborhood children are raising money to make sure it won't be destroyed by an urban renewal program.

The four - story - tall, 85 - year - old magnolia grandiflora, which normally flourishes in the South, has been protected from wintry winds by a brownstone apartment building in the Bedford - Stuyvesant section.

The community is selling raffle tickets - shaped like magnolia leaves - for a fund to raise $5,000 to save the building from the wrecker's ball. The horticulture Society of New York is pitching in by paying neighborhood kids one cent for each seed of the hearty tree they bring in.

The society says the tree, an evergreen, is the largest and oldest of its kind north of baltimore. In the summer it produces large, white fragrant blossoms.

Hospital Notes

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY: Released:

James Edsall, Matthews
Jesse Bell, Charleston
Charles Boyd, New Madrid
Elizabeth Bartlett, Sikeston
Mrs. Juanita Atwell & Baby Girl, Matthews
Joseph Baker, Sikeston
Green Greer, Sikeston
Paul Manker, Sikeston
Charles Musgraves, Parma
Elise Kemp, Charleston
Ada Walker, New Madrid
Mary Watson, East Prairie
Ethel Wilson, East Prairie
Virginia Melton, Canalou
Viola McQueen, Dexter
Frankie Summers, Sikeston
Ada Broughton, New Madrid

DEXTER MEMORIAL: Admitted:
Lilly Collier, Dexter;
Sandra Minton, St. Charles, Ill.;
Virdie Vinson, Dexter;
Ester Stevens, Bloomfield;
William Main, Patton;

Released:
Bertha Pratt, Dexter;
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Terry Owens, St. Louis;
John Miller, Bernie;
Elva Tanner, Dexter.

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... letting him sleep in on Sunday morning.

New Arrivals

RAINWATER - Son to Mr and Mrs. Thomas Rainwater, Route 2, Lucy Lee Hospital, Poplar Bluff, Dec. 23. Name, Brian Thomas. Weight, 9 pounds, 15 ounces. First child. Mrs. Rainwater is the former Miss Kathy Eskew, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Eskew of Dexter. Mr. Rainwater is a college student, and is the son of Mrs. Edward Lowes.

LIGGETT - Son to Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Liggett, 435 College, Southeast Missouri Hospital, 10:14 p.m. Monday. Name, Darrell Wayne. Weight 7 pounds 9 ounces. First child. Mrs. Liggett is the former Miss Doris Barnes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Barnes of Bell City. Mr. Liggett is employed by Mid-West Diesel, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Liggett of Bell City.

BOMAR - Son to Mr. and Mrs. Gary Bomar to Bernie. Southeast Missouri Hospital, 10:17 p.m. Saturday. Name, Anthony Scott. Weight 5 pounds 11 ounces. First child. Mrs. Bomar is the former Miss Jeanine Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Johnson of Dexter. Mr. Johnson is employed by Johnson Refrigeration at Dexter and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Bomar of Bernie.

WILLIAMS - Son to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Williams of Oran. Southeast Missouri Hospital, 1:03 a.m. Saturday. Name, Donald Lee. Weight 6 pounds 14½ ounces. First child. Mrs. Williams is the former Miss Beneda Shoemaker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Shoemaker of Elmo. Mr. Williams is a mechanic and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dovie Williams of Oran.

RAFFETY - Son to Mr. and Mrs. Elott Raffety of Wyatt, 3:27 p.m. Monday. Name, Thomas Daly. Weight 8 pounds 2 ounces. Third child, third son. Mrs. Rafferty is the former Miss Karen Ann Collins, daughter of Mrs. John A. Collins of Indianapolis, Ind. Mr. Rafferty is self-employed and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Hunter Raffety of Wyatt.

CAYTON - Daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Cayton of Point Pleasant. Southeast Missouri Hospital, 8:07 a.m., Thursday. Name, Sandy Marie. Weight 5 pounds 13 ounces. Second child second daughter, Mrs. Cayton is the former Miss Donna Tatum daughter of Charles Tatum of Point Pleasant and Mrs. Vera Stafford of Point Pleasant. Mr. Cayton is employed at Patton, Tulley Transportation Co., and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cayton of Point Pleasant.

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Cook's Column

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nutmeg

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NOTE: Flavor is also pleasing when brandy is substituted with 1/4 cup white corn syrup plus 1 Tablespoon brandy or rum flavoring.

Oh, really!

WASHINGTON (AP) — One out of five persons answering a survey on violence say there are situations they can imagine in which they would approve of a husband slapping a wife's face.

While 20 per cent answered yes to this question, 22 per cent said they could imagine situations in which they would approve of a wife slapping a husband's face.

But when it comes to shooting your mate, the percentage drops off drastically. Only 3 per cent said they would approve of a husband shooting his wife, and 4 per cent could imagine some justification for a wife shooting her husband.

The survey by Louis Harris Associates, sampling 1,176 adults, was taken for a task force of the National Commission on the Causes and Prevention of Violence.

The study also said "law enforcement officials receive approval from a majority of adults for the use of violence only when it is necessary to protect their lives or to carry out their legal responsibilities."

In the U.S. House of Representatives, Democrats occupy the east side of the chamber, on the speaker's right: Republicans sit across the main aisle on the speaker's left.

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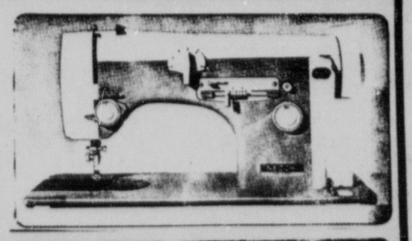

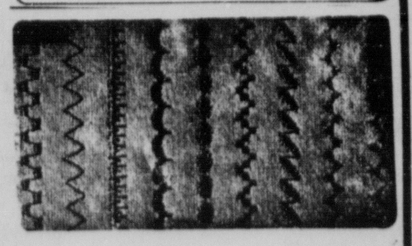

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Rivalry Match Friday

By DAVID McCLARTY

Last week was a big one for the Sikeston Bulldogs. They pulled out three victories straight to even their record at 3-3. This week shows a tough one to attempt to get over the .500 plateau as the Cagers meet arch-rival Charleston in the Field House Friday with game time at 7 p.m.

The Bulldogs have looked rather impressive on the road as they have a 2-1 record against a 1-2 slate on the home court. It seems the Sikeston five just cannot get any kind of an offensive game going on their own floor. The only home game last week showed the whole Bulldog team scoring only 35 points. But when the opposing team scored less than you, you have done your job. The only thing bothering people is that Larry Lawerence pumped in 35 and 36 respectively for the Dogs on the road last week, but could not find it at home, as he only scored 12. We hope to see the team break through the ice and score and overwhelming victory against the Bluejays.

The Charleston Bluejays bring to Sikeston quite an impressive running game to scrap with the Dogs. In his first year at Charleston Coach Arnold Ryan has built a good run - and - shoot game which has won them second place in the Oran Invitational and put their record at 7-4. The Bluejays have a very well balanced team as they never have one outstanding player every night. Henry Hall leads the way for the Jays, but when he hasn't got it, there are Phil Clemons and Charles Ingram to take control.

Sikeston hoped to pep up its offensive game a bit against the Jays and try to slow down the Jays'. If Lawrence and Yarber can come through with Hackney and Throop adding their share the Dogs can pull the game with little trouble. The cool ball handling of sophomore Undre West will hope to keep the Dogs in control of the ball and the game.

Sikeston has many factors aiding its bid for victory as they have won their last three games and don't want to break this string. Also winning these games gives the team an added confidence. And always the Sikeston Bulldogs want to put down the Jays because of the great strife between the two teams. The only disadvantage I see for the Dogs is that they will be playing on their home court!

NEW MADRID'S James "red" Tucker leaps high over Matthews' Andrew Richardson (25) for a tip in during Tuesday New Madrid county league battle that the Indians won 74-59.

NCAA Rules 11th Game

WASHINGTON (AP) — The National Collegiate Athletic Association, having sent the nation's college football coaches into a whirlwind of activity by permitting them to schedule an additional game next fall, today faced the controversial case of Yale's ineligible basketball player.

A session between coaches Darrel Royal of top-ranked Texas and Joe Paterno of runner-up Penn State was just one of many hurriedly arranged meetings Wednesday as schools scurried to line up opponents for the newly approved game.

Meanwhile, although the NCAA's 64th annual convention officially ended Wednesday, the NCAA Council, policy making body of the national organization, was expected to punish Yale for knowingly using a basketball player declared ineligible by both the NCAA and its affiliate, the Eastern College Athletic Conference.

The likelihood was that Yale would be slapped with some form of probation, possibly contingent on whether it ceases to use the player. However, the school has said it will continue defying the NCAA and ECAC.

The issue is another power struggle between the NCAA and the Amateur Athletic Union over control of amatur basketball in this country.

against a non-league oppoinent. South Carolina belongs to the Atlantic Coast Conference.

Col. A. J. Dielens, athletic director at the U.S. Military Academy, said Army would add the extra contest. Coach Ara Parseghian of Notre Dame said he was for an 11th game but didn't know whether his administration would approve it.

In other action Wednesday, the NCAA delegates approved limiting to two the number of visits a prospective athlete can make to a college. Then they ordered further study of a proposal to limit a coach or his representative to the same number of visits to the youngster's home town.

The delegates also voted to prohibit a coach or his representative from contacting a high school athlete at an event in which he participates and killed a measure that would have given the NCAA's executive committee review powers over decisions made by the 14 rules committees, which operate autonomously.

In an attempt to bring the AAU to its knees, the NCAA refused to sanction the basketball competition in the Maccabiah Games in Tel Aviv last August, although it had done so in the past and approved all other sports in last year's games.

Yale, however, told its invited player, Jack Langer, that he could participate in the games and he was the only collegian on the U.S. basketball team, which lost to Israel in the finals.

Yale received a minor setback Wednesday when the NCAA delegates tabled a proposal that would have specifically identified the Maccabiah Games as one of the international competitions to be considered for approval.

A Texas-Penn State football game would be one of the highlights of the 1970 season after the storm that arose this past season when both teams posted 11-0 records. However, both sides insisted early today that such a meeting was not settled.

Woman To Invade SHS Field House Saturday

Milldrette Netter of Alcorn A & M at Lorman, Miss., heads up the field of 150 woman athletes who will join in initationing the Sikeston high school indoor track Saturday as the Region 8 Woman's AAU indoor track meet is held.

Miss Netter was a gold medal winner on the Olympic 400 Meter relay team last year and will compete in the sprints Saturday against women from eight states.

Same Giambelluca, recently re-elected National Chairman of the AAU Junior Olympics for girls track and field will be in charge of Saturday's meet. This will be his fifth year as chairman of the Olympics.

The meet is expected to draw teams from Illinois, Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Mississippi, Indiana and Kentucky.

Eleven events will be held starting with preliminaries at 11 a.m. and the finals at noon.

The top two finishers in each event will qualify for the Nationals at Madison Square Gardens in New York on Jan. 27th.

Among the events will be a basketball throw, which replaces the discus in indoor meets for women. Sprints will be 50, 220 440 and 880. with a Mile run, 60 yard hurdle, two four lap relays, Medlay Relay, high hump and Shot. No long jump will be held because the pit at the field house isn't filled for the vent.

Three St. Louis area teams are entered Saturday with the Blues, Ozark and Kirkwood teams joing the Topeka Cosmos, Kansas City Jets, and teams from Belleville, Ill.; Murray, Ky.; Carbondale, Ill.; Chicago, Ill.; Terra Haunte, Ind.; Lorman, Miss. and the Southeast Missouri club headed by Giambelluca.

Other top teams from the eight state region is expected.

The Indoor meet Saturday is the first of three scheduled at the domed SHS field house. The others are scheduled by Southeast Missouri State College of Cape Girardeau on February 21 with Memphis State at 3 p.m. and March 7, with Springfield at 12:30.

STEERING COLUMN

By Bill Brodrick

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The Steering Column is places. It's on the move. From a road racing course in Riverside, California to a short track in Montpelier, Vermont you'll be there. It makes no difference that a race track is a quarter mile long and flat or two and a half miles long with thirty - three degree banking. Together they form the backbone of racing and are all a part of the Steering Column.

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The Steering Column is the fan. It's his voice. Here he'll make known his objections, his praises, and he'll give advice. Racing is a sport containing a spectator - participant relationship that has no equal. Yet so often the fan in the stands can't communicate to his brother on the track. Sometimes the story the fan has to tell his humorous, sometimes it's tragic But it's all part of the Steering Column.

The just completed season was the greatest in the history of the sport. 1970 promises to be even better yet. Over 50 million people paid to see races last year and millions more viewed the action on increasing television coverage.

If you're already an avid fan, the Steering Column will give you a new insight to your sport. If you're new to racing, a whole new world of sport will be open to you.

Please join us.

District Basketball

By Mark Adams By David Crader By David McClarty

TIGERS LOSE

CARUTHERSVILLE – The Caruthersville Tigers were handed their ninth straight basketball setback of the season Tuesday, as they were edged by the Gideon Bulldogs 61-63. The Tigers made a valiant attempt to upset the Dogs for their first victory, but too many costly turnovers put the game in the Dogs bag.

The Bulldogs picked up the victory behind the 19 point effort of Robert Buchanan. Jim Roberts came on strong for the Dogs also, as he tallied 16 to add to the Tigers woes.

Caruthersville placed four men in twin figures, but none managed to come up with the four points needed to close the victory. Ronnie Randolf was the big man of the four, as he pumped in 16 markers. Kenny Baird closely followed him with 15.

Caruthersville made a little better showing in the JV contest though, as they picked up a 73-51 victory. William Reno was the leading scorer, as he connected for 23 to lead the Tigers to their victory.

Scoring:

CARUTHERSVILLE (63)

Malone 11, Bared 15, Randolf 16, Holland 3, Simmons 7, Hubbard 11, Totals: FG-25; FT-13; PF-15.

GIDEON (66)

Buchanan 19, Cleaves 10, Roberts 16, Murphy 9, Walker 4, Littell 6, Nolan 2. Totals: FG-29; FT-8; PF-22.

Score By Quarters:

Caruthersville	15	12	16	20-63
Gideon	18	22	10	16-66

INDIANS LOSE

CHAFFEE – Steve Rogers and Charlie Vickery teamed for 47 points in leading Chaffee to its ninth win of the season Tuesday , scoring 24 and 23 points respectively as the Red Devils topped the Jackson Indians 88-76.

Jackson fell back 20-18 in the first quarter and was never able to overcome that deficit as Chaffee put four players in double figure scoring while the Indians had three led by Jim Walker's 21.

Chaffee also claimed the B-win, beating the visitors 71-52 for its seventh win in nine games.

Scoring:

CHAFFEE (88)

Vickery 23, Doniphan 15, Rogers 24, Ballard 8, Daugherty 14, Proffer 4. Totals: FG-37; Pf-14; PF-17.

JACKSON (76)

Thompson 8, Meyer 5, Weasel 16, Walker 21, Owens 9. Crites 14, Illers 3. Totals: FG-28. F'-20; PF-13.

Score By Quarters:

Chaffee	20	22	19	27-88
Jackson	18	15	22	21-76

LEOPOLD WINS FIRST

LEOPOLD – Leopold slipped past the College High Preps Tuesday to gain a 44-42 win and its first victory of the season. College High won the B-game 55-12.

Gerand Seyler lead the Wildcants with 19 markers as Hutching followed with 13. For the Preps, Keith Cotner connected for 13 and teammate Hobbs hit 10.

College High's 55-12 JV win was lead by Aufdenberg's 20 points, with Landwee with 4 in the Jr. Wildcats effort.

Scoring:

LEOPOLD (44)

Hutching 13, Stoverink 3, E. Horvell 7, Seyler 19, D. Horvell 2. Totals: FG-12; FT-20; Pf-13.

COLLEGE HIGH (42)

Adams 7, Cottener 13, Wessel 3, Kelly 7, Hobbs 10, Griffan 2, Totals: FG-13; FT-16; Pf-16.

Score By Quarters:

Leopold	8	13	15	8-44
college High	9	10	15	8-42

CHARGERS 11-2

DEERING – Delta C-7 moved it's record up to 11-2 as they downed the North Pemiscot Mustangs 79-53 Tuesday. This also kept their perfect Bootheel conference record going at 3-0.

Eddie Starks proved to be thbig man for the Chargers as he pumped in 23 with Charles Jones right behind at 22. Paul Scott added 16 and Dock Conner collected 11 for C-7. Terry McCulloh led thylosers with 17 and Don Smith added 15 with Bobby McCulloh adding 11 for the Mustangs.

The B Chargers made it a double victory as they won 45-37. Terry Lance led the Chargers with 19 and Arnold Young led the losers with 15.

Scoring:

DELTA C-7 (79)

Starks 23, Jones 22, Scott 16, Conner 11, Lair 4, Williams 1, Chastain 2. Totals: FG-30; FT-19; PF-9.

NORTH PEMISCOT (63)

McCulloch 17, Smith 15, McCulloch 11, White 6, Winston 3, Hensley 2, Dixon 4, Robinson 5. Totals: FG-28; FT-7; PF-22.

Score By Quarters:

Delta C-7	24	19	18	18-79
N. Pemiscot	19	16	12	16-63

MARBLE HILL – The Woodland Cardinals picked up dual victories here Tuesday, as they crushed Meadow Heights of Patton 80-40 in the varsity contest and 49-30 in the B-game.

Woodland was lead in their victory bid by Tom Smith, who connected for 36 big markers. Only one other man managed twin figures for Woodland, that being Steve Lambert who pumped in 13.

Meadow Heights was paced in their losing effort by two cousins, Derrick and Mike Mungle, who managed 17 and 15 respectively.

The Cardinals won the JV encounter behind the 13 point effort of Gary Roberts. Stroder lead Meadow Heights. with 11.

Scoring:

WOODLAND (80)

Smith 36, Lambert 13, Durham 4, Allmon 6, Holley 3, Gaines 7, Acker 2, J. Johnson 7, Barks 1. Totals: FG-34; FT-11; PF-8.

MEADOW HEIGHTS (40)

D. Mungle 17, Mungle 15, Dvais 1, Lukefahr 2, Turner 4, Bollinger 1. Totals: FG-16; FT-8; PF-10.

Score By Quarters:

Woodland	20	16	19	24-80
Meadow	10	11	12	7-40

CAMELS WIN

CAMPBELL – Campbell came up with their second victory of the season Tuesday as it posted a 66-60 win over Naylor, after the B team won 73-36.

In the last few minutes of the game Naylor had climbed to a single point edge Campbell hit two quick shots the gained the lead and a six point victory. The Camels were lead in scoring by Bill Kirkwood and John Gardner as the due hit 15 each.

Naylor's scoring was lead by Armour and Hatton who tallied 17 and 12 points respectively.

GaryCarter hit 25 points for Campbell in their 73-36 JV win.

Naylor's top scorer was Johnson who connected for 13 points.

Scoring:

CAMPBELL (66)

Gardner 15, Ledford 3, Wood 13, Rivkwood 10, Petri 6, Carter 8, Meeley 4, Boyet 2, Boyd 5. Totals: Fg-25; FT-16; PF-27.

NAYLOR (60)

Smith 9, Armour 17, Parrent 10, Halton 12, Jones 8, Day 4. Totals: FG-19; FT-22; PF-21.

Score By Quarters:

Campbell	19	18	13	16-66
Naylor	9	17	18	16-60

SOUTH BEATS NORTH

HAYTI – South Pemiscot edged Hayti North Tuesday 61-60 in two overtimes.

Hayti was playing catch up ball throughout the whole game as the Bulldogs pulled out to an early lead in the first period 13-8. From this point on Hayti caught up gradually and they tied it in the final minute to go into overtime. In the second overtime the Bulldogs jumped to a five point lead, which left the Indians to try to catch up but they fell short by one point.

Prentice Earls led the Bulldogs to victory with a 17 points production and Jarboe adding 11. The Indians warpath showed Northern McIntyre gaining high point honors scoring 19 and Buddy Moore added 13.

Hayti came out on top in the JV contest, 72-60. The Indians were led by Tony Ruff with 24.

Scoring:

SOUTH PESMICOT (61)

Earls 17, Jarboe 11, Whitting ton 10, Holt 9, Gordon 8, Bishop 6; Totals: FG-22; FT-17; Pf-13.

HAYTI, NORTH (60)

Moore 13, Weatherspoon 12, McIntyre 19, Blevins 2, Grissom 8, Rogers 6. Totals: FG-25; FT-10; PF-13.

Score By Quarters:

Hayti	8	14	17	9 7 5-60
S. Pem	13	13	15	7 7 6-61

EAGLES WIN 10TH

OAK RIDGE - The Oak Ridge Eagles ran their season's slate 10-3 Tuesday, as they crushed Valle of Ste. Genevieve 76-59.

David Lang gave the high- flying Eagles their tenth victory, as he pumped in 31 to take the game's high point honors. The Eagles place another man in the over-twenty bracket also, as Darrell Hahs connected for 23 markers.

The Ste. Gen squad was paced by Dave Wehner, who managed 17 against the tough Eagle defense.

Valley reversed the tabels in the B game though, as Mike Huck lead the Warriors to a 41-21 decision with 18. The Oak Ridge JV's were represented in the scoring column by Jim Seabaugh, who hit for 10.

Scoring:

OAK RIDGE (76)

Hahs 23, Grantham 10, Ford 5, Ludwig 2, Hahs 3, Lang 31, Stearns 2. Totals: FG-27; FT-22; Pf-24.

VALLEY (59)

Rozier 15, Hess 6, Winners 2, Wehner 17, Wiphler 15, Stoll 4, Totals: FG-21; FT-17; PF-19.

Score By Quarters:

Valley	9	13	17	20-59
Oak Ridge	17	17	29	12-76

PUXICO WINS 10TH

PUXICO – The Puxico Indians grabbed duel victories Tuesday as they handed their Stoddard County neighbors Bloomfield a crushing 76-44 varsity setback, and a 46-39 defeat in the B match. The Indians increased their seasonal record with the wing as their varsity record was bettered to a 10-5 mark.

It was a stiff Indian defense, that allowed only 24 points in the first three quarters of play, that gave the Indians the decisive victory.

Tallying for overhalf of Puxico's 76 points was the due of Ken Andrews and Tony Morris, as the two lead the tribe with 27 and 25 point productions.

Sophomore James Chism was the only player on the Naylor squad that reached the Double figures, as he connected for 12.

Puxico's win in the JV contest was lead by Mike Hill, who with 10 points, lead the Indians in their 46-39 JV win. Kelly and Pounds lead the Naylor JV's with 9 a piece.

Scoring:

PUXICO (76)

Andress 27, Taylor 8, Morris 25, Anthony 2, Shelton 2, Walk 6, Wear 2, Hill 2, Sholt 2. Totals: FG-29; FT-18; Pf-14.

BLOOMFIELD (44)

Hutchenson 4, Bowling 8, Lafferty 4, Marion 8, Chism 12, Chastine 6, Irwin 2, Totals: FG-21; FT-2; PF-16.

Score By Quarters:

Puxico	13	18	27	18-76
Bloomfield	6	8	10	20-44

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Circuit Court

BENTON: Judge Craig heard these CRIMINAL CASES here recently:

State vs. David G. Collier, Jr., NON-SUPPORT.Case passed until Jan. 22, 1970.

State vs. Jimmy Sloan, BURGLARY AND STEALING.

Defendant in Court with his attorney, and they file Motions to Dismiss and Suppress.

Motions set for hearing at a later date.

State vs. J.B. Williams, RAPE.

Leave granted defendant to file Motion to Vacate and Set Aside Judgement and Sentence of Court.

State vs. J.B. Williams, 1st DEGREE MURDER

Same as above case.

State vs. J.B. Williams, 1st DEGREE MURDER.

Same as above case.

State vs. L.F. Turner, LEAVING SCENE OF ACCIDENT.

Defendant released from custody and Ordered to return to custody of Sheriff later.

State vs. Andy Hopper, ARSON.

Finally discharged.

State vs. Dallas Cluck, STEALING OVER $50.00.

Case removed from Trial Docket and passed until further order, by agreement.

Dexter. Moring and Dewight Richmond, president of the Board of Education, will leave Sunday for Columbia where they will attend a meeting for School Board administrator. On Thursday, Moring will attend a meeting at the Holiday Inn in Cape Girardeau for a workshop for school elections and procedures. Kent Barber of the Jefferson City State Department of Education will be the speaker.

The regular meeting of the United Methodist Men's Club was held Monday evening with the president, W. A. Kilbury presiding. During the business meeting, an election of officers was held. Earl Weeks Sr. was elected president, Paul H. Barks, vice president; and Clifford Warren, secretary and treasurer Committees will be appointed at a later date. The group voted to hold two benefit dinners ths year. Max Bollinger and Wallace Stephens were hosts for the evening meal. Seventeen men were present and the next meeting will be held January 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleatus Lemmons and sons, Galen and Thomas, have returned home after spending the holidays with Mrs. Lemmons' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Thomas of Braderton, Fla. where they were met by their son- in - law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jere Hargraves and daughter of Abilene, Texas. Galen will return to his studies at Abilene Christian College in Abilene, Texas on Thursday after spending a month's vacation with his family.

Fred Scherer will return to his studies at West Minister College at Fulton after spending the holiday season with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Scherer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Eakin of O'Fallon, Ill., were guests of his mother, Mrs. J. A. Eakin, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Driskell.

A. G. Lemmons of Henderson, Ky. was guest speaker at the Jackson Church of Christ in Jackson and also visited his mother, Mrs. Hassel Lemmons, over the weekend.

Mrs. W. C. Wheeler and Mrs. J. W. Foster attended the covered dish luncheon and council meeting of the Extension Clubs of Stoddard County in the Civic Center in Bloomfield Monday.

Teacher Arrested for Molesting Children

ST. LOUIS (AP)—A teacher was arrested Tuesday in connection with the molestation of several children in South St. Louis, police said.

The teacher was identified as Henry J. Moravek who teaches at a school for the handicapped in Creve Coeur.

Moravek was charged in a warrant issued Tuesday with molesting a 12-year-old girl in Francis Park on Jan. 2.

Detectives Fred Siebel and Milford Rohr said 10 other children identified Moravek in a lineup Tuesday.

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10,000 Cotton Bales Burn in Kennett

KENNETT — A fire which broke out at the Kennett Federal Compress Wednesday destroyed an estimated 10,000 bales of cotton and caused losses estimated at 1.6 million dollars following an explosion.

The fire began at about 12:30 p.m. and was brought under control by 2 p.m. It is expected to smolder for two to three days because of problems involved in extinguishing a cotton fire.

Fire officials kept three pumpers at the scene until late Wednesday. They said they believed the fire had been burning for sometime before it was discovered and that the compress sprinkler system had failed to operate.

The Kennett fire department was aided by units from Hayti 16 miles east of Kennett. Firemen at the scene said they had no reports of injuries and most of the employes of the compress were on a lunch break when the fire was noticed.

An employe of the Kennett Light and Water Department said a power failure, due to burned lines, affected the entire northeast section of the city - including the Emerson Electrical Manufacturing Co. and the Kennett UniRoyal plant.

"A UniRoyal official said the plant was without power for an hour and ten minutes but had no loss estimate as a result of the blockout. Spokesmen at the Emerson plant were not available for comment.

The compress spokesman said the facility has a $31,000 bale capacity in 11 sheds and 2 of the sheds were destroyed. He said the cause of the fire had not been determined.

The compress has fire insurance on the buildings and equipment and the stored cotton.

Overhead sprinklers installed at the compress generally worked, but some difficulty was experienced because of frozen pipes, caused by cold weather.

Flames from the press area leaped over the large 20 x 75-foot concrete fire walls separating the storage shed and sped quickly to other areas following the explosion.

Power and telephone lines to the compress were cut off by the fire. Electrical power was off in some parts of the town for about an hour.

Firemen remained on the scene today as the cotton continued to burn.

Several empty railroad cars near the building constructed in 1937, were damaged.

A smokestack in the damaged portion of the building toppled across utility lines.

Cases Filed

BENTON: These cases were filed with the Circuit Clerk:

Donna Atkinson vs. R.E. Atkinson, Jr., Sam Lighter vs. Irene Lighter; Emma Pearson vs. W.E. Pearson; Linda Gayle Sweet vs J.C. Sweet; Andrew Chapman vs. Joy Ellen Chapman, DIVORCES.

Elvia Sawyer vs. Thelma West, RENT & POSSESSION.

Frisco R.R. vs. Aubrey Michael, Collector; South Ill. and Mo. Bridge Co. vs. Aubrey Michael, Collector and Mo. Pac. R.R. vs. Aubrey Michael, Collector, RECOVER TAXES PAID UNDER PROTEST.

Ethel Smith vs. H.R. Bennett, PERSONAL INJURIES.

Public Finance Corp. vs. Dora Morgan, PROMISSORY NOTE.

T.E. Holmes vs. V.T. Rogers, DAMAGES.

Patsy Travis vs. Vernon Travis, NON-SUPPORT.

Bell City News

BELL CITY — Franklin Moring, superintendent of the Bell City Schools and Johnnie Richards, elementary principal, attended the winter meeting of district elementary principals in Cape Girardeau on Thursday. Richard Trout, High school principal, attended a meeting of High Schools principal in

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SHERIFF CLYDE ORTON'S BAR-RESTAURANT at Caruthersville - St. Louis Globe - Democrat Photo.

License Refused for Sheriff Orton's Cocktail Lounge in Caruthersville

CARUTHERSVILLE - who is the center of a state Pemiscot Sheriff Clyde Orton, investigation into wide open liquor law violations and whisky - running into other states, recently tried to open his own cocktail lounge here but was refused a license.

The newly built but never opened plush bar-restaurant was damaged by fire late last year at a time the sheriff was trying to get a liquor license. The license was refused by State Liquor Control Supervisor Harry Wiggins on the grounds it would be a conflict of interest to have a law enforcement official running a bar.

"It's the first time I've ever heard of a sheriff or a police officer wanting to run a tavern in an area where he is supposed to enforce the laws," Wiggins said.

Orton said he built the establishment "because this area needed one" and said the fire was arson. The case has not been solved.

State authorities, including liquor agents and the attorney general's office, are checking to see if the fire was caused by anyone connected with the alleged bootleg activities.

State authorities said they have evidence after an intensive three-month investigation that certain taverns here were illegally selling whiskey to runners who deliver it into the dry counties of Mississippi and Alabama.

Liquor agents from those states were chased from this county by the sheriff in recent months when they tried to trace the source of the liquor supply, the agents told investigators.

Still unsolved here is the gangstyle murder early last year of Lee (Jay) Gatewood, operator of two bars currently under investigation for bootleging whisky.

Gatewood was killed by a shotgun blast as he got out of his car in what authorities believe may have been a grudge killing connected with whisky-running.

Orton said he is unaware of any widespread liquor violations or bootleg whisky operation, but state investigators said hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of liquor yearly is being illegally bought and shipped south with no interference from the sheriff.

Clyde Orton

Fred M. McKay, police chief of nearby Hayti, admitted to The Globe - Democrat that bootlegging, gambling and liquor violations were plentiful in the county but "my hands are tied for political reasons."

Orton, a Democrat, who has headed law enforcement in Pemiscot County for 14 years, put the blame on liquor agents and highway patrolmen if there's any illegal liquor running.

"They aren't taking it out in helicopters. They have to use the highways. The highway patrol has the authority to stop people on the highways," he said.

He has denied threatening or chasing any out-of-state liquor agents from his county.

The state investigation of liquor law violations involves more than 20 establishments in Caruthersville, Hayti and Steele.

Eight persons already have been arrested by state authorities for selling liquor without a license.

Morley News

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Happy Birthday to Dale McClellan.

DISMISSED

Mrs. Odis W. Freeman has been dismissed from the Delta Community Hospital at Sikeston.

Robert Nelson, farmer near here, has a cow that gave birth to twin calves Christmas Eve and the eighth set of twins. The cow now has borne 24 calves.

TREATED AT HOSPITAL

Betty L. Emerson, Morley was treated at the Delta Community Hospital Friday at spilling hot grease on right arm.

FELL DOWN STEPS

Mr. Lewis Matthews went to Blytheville, Ark. Air Force Base last Saturday for x-ray's after he fell down the back steps of his home here in Morley. We are happy to say Mr. Matthews had no broken bones; just some bruises.

VISITING FATHER

Mr. Deller Mott of California was here last week visitinghis father, Mr. Alonza Mott who is in the Southeast Missouri Hospital at Cape Girardeau.

DISMISSED FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. Dan Wise and baby girl have been dismissed from the Delta Community Hospital.

VISITED DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Amzie Cook visited with their daughter, Miss Anna Mae Cook, who was injured in an auto accident Christmas Day. Miss Cook is doing as well as can be expected.

VISITED IN ILLINOIS

Mrs. Mary Craig and children John and Sharon along with Danny Johnson, visited Mr. Frank Carpy, Mr. and Mrs. Toney Slipis and Mr. and Mrs. Ann Jasinsky of Edwardville, Ill.

ADMITTED TO HOSPITAL

Mrs. Murry Peases was admitted to the Delta Community Hospital last week after falling on the snow and breaking her hip.

MORLEY PENTECOSTAL CHURCH

Guest Speaker Jackie Mills: Sunday School, 10:00 A.M., Morning Worship, 11:00 A.M., Evening Worship, 7:00 P.M.

26 attended Sunday School, one visitor was present, Peggy Warren.

MOVED

Mr. and Mrs. T.N. Hagar have moved from their large home in Morley to a smaller home formerly owned by Mr. and Mrs. Cord Grissom.

VISITING MOTHER

Visiting Mrs. Fred Keefer Saturday were her son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Bill Keefer and family of Portageville, Mo.

VISITING MRS. CURD

Visiting Mrs. Grace Curd last week were Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Donner of Sikeston; Mrs. May Davace of Kalamazoo, Michigan, and Mr. Howard Fallowell of Cape Girardeau.

MORLEY CHURCH OF GOD

Rev. Samuel McClellan, Pastor: Sunday School, 9:45 A.M., Morning Worship, 10:45 A.M., Evening Worship, 6:00P.M.

18 attended Sunday School; there were 8 visitors, Rev. and Mrs. Norman Middleton and children of Scott City Church of God. Rev. Middleton was the guest speaker Sunday night.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. H.A. Williams Sunday were their granddaughter and family Mr. and Mrs. James Maxwell and daughter Jennifer of Oklahoma City, Okla. The Maxwell's also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Gene King and daughter of Morley.

VISITED INILLINOIS

Mrs. Forrest Mize of Morley, Mrs. Lois McKim of Oildale, CAlif., and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Owens of Scott City visited with M/Sgt. and Mrs. R. W. Hayes and children and Mrs. Dorris Mize of Scott Air Force Base.

GENE'S SHOPPE

Gene's Shoppe is having her January sale on Dresses, blouses, slacks, and other items being Friday and ending Saturday night January 16 and 17 every thing will te 1/3 off the original price.

Records Filed

BENTON: These legal instruments were filed with John Bollinger, Recorder:

Mable, Russell and Betty Barnes, to Mable and Russell Barnes, WARRANTY lot 24, block 5, Loy's Add. Chaffee.

Richard L. Cox, et al, to Robert M. and Dana Gene Jenkins, WARRANTY lot 28, Lillian A. Smith Add. Sikeston.

Robert A. and Beatrice Dempster, to Apostolic Pentecostal Church of Sikeston, WARRANTY pt lot 5 lot 6, block 51, McCoy and Tanner 9th Add Sikeston.

First Federal Savings and Loan Assn., to Secretary of Housing and Urban Dev. WARRANTY lot 8, block 15, Clayton's Add. Sikeston.

R.M. and Dana Gene Jenkins, to Phillips Petroleum Co. LEASE lot 28, Lillian A Smith Add. Sikeston.

Edith Locke, as Executrix, to Arthur L. and Anita Ziegler, EXECUTOR'S DEED lot 9, 10, 11, block 23, McCoy and Tanner 5th add. Sikeston.

Hazel Malcolm, to James R. and Ethel B. Harris WARRANTY lot 5, block 5, High School Add. Sikeston.

Paul B. and Dorothy V. Ray by Trustee, to First Federal Saving and Loan Assn. TRUSTEE'S DEED lot 8, block

Whaley-Led Group May Boycott Dinner Featuring Agnew

ST. LOUIS (AP) - The chairman of the St. Louis Republican Central Committee said his group would not take part in the fund - raising dinner featuring Vice President Spiro T. Agnew Feb. 10.

Fred O. Whaley said he wrote Elmer E. Smith, state Republican chairman urging the dinner be held in a union - organized hotel. The Republicans selected Stouffer's Riverfront Inn for the dinner. The inn has been picketed as a non-union establishment.

Whaley is a leader of the Republican faction that opposed the election of Smith as GOP state chairman.

Whaley said he would send a letter to Agnew to tell him of the possibility of a picket line at the dinner.

Smith said Agnew's office in Washington already is aware of the situation. He said the vice president has asked Missouri Republicans to clear up the problem before the night of the St. Louis dinner.

Feedgrain Pay Decision Protested

WASHINGTON - U. S. Senators Stuart Symington and Thomas F. Eagleton of Missouri today urged the Nixon Administration to reconsider its decision to withhold advance payments of feedgrain allocations to farmers.

"...the absence of these funds this year will have a severe impact on Missouri's rural economy as a whole," the two Senators said in a letter to Robert P. Mayo, Director of the Bureau of the Budget.

"It will also create a major financial crisis for a gret many individual farmers who must now try to borrow funds from commercial sources at the current high interest rates.

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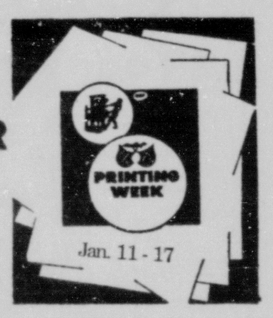

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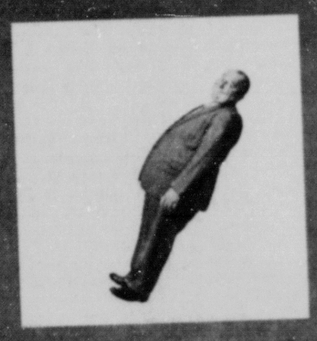

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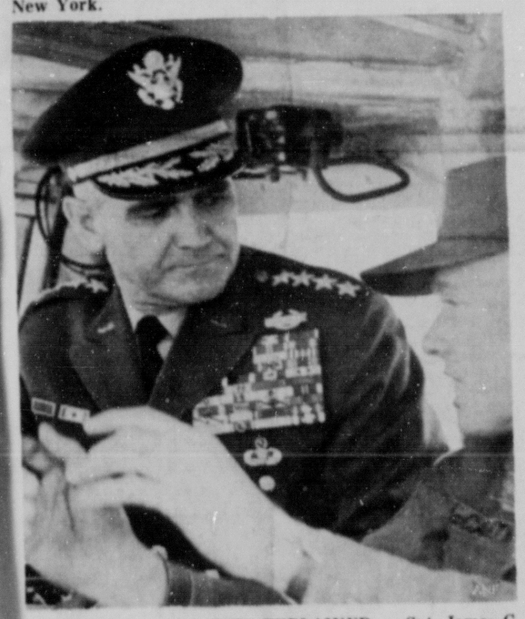
THE CASUAL LOOK is in obviously for both mother and daughter, in this case Jacqueline Onassis, right, and daughter Caroline Kennedy, left, caught in candid shots outside their Fifth Avenue apartment house in New York.



DRIVING TECHNIQUES EXPLAINED — Sgt. James C. McCarthy discusses LARC (Lighter Amphibious Resupply Cargo) vehicle driving techniques with Army Chief of Staff General W. C. Westmoreland. The conversation took place during the general's visit to Fort Story, Va. Sergeant McCarthy is a member of the 331st Transportation Company.

NEW YORK (AP) — The Rockefeller Foundation has given $350,000 to the Brooklyn Academy of Music, for four of its resident companies.

The companies, which are to use the money to develop new works, are the Merce Cunningham Dance Company, the Alvin Ailey American Dance Theater, American Ballet Company and Chelsea Theater Center.

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF
LANDOWNERS MEETING

Notice is hereby given to owners of land in Big Lake Drainage District, that in accordance with Chapter 242, Section 150, Revised Statutes of Missouri, a meeting of owners of land in said District will be held at the Mississippi County Court Meeting Room, Charleston, Mo.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 3
AT 2:00 P.M.

For the purpose of electing one supervisor for the term of 5 years, and for the purpose of discussing the Districts Maintenance Policy, and for such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Each acre of land upon which benefits have been assessed is entitled to one vote. All owners of land are requested to attend the meeting in person, or by proxy, at the time and place designated.

Done by the order of the Board of Supervisors, this 11th Day of December, 1969.

Gilbert Bryant,
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94-100

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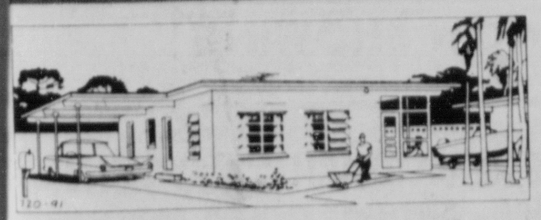

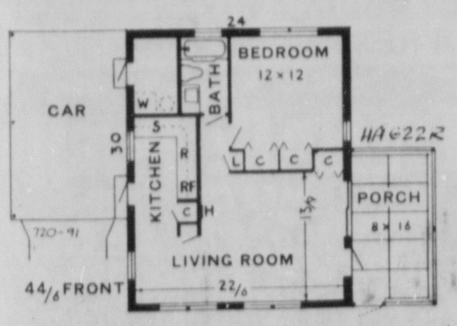

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The house features comfortably-sized rooms, ample closets with metals bifold doors, an L-shaped kitchen counter, hidden from yet handy to the living room. The kitchen has a door to the carport. The 22½ foot living room has windows on three sides. The side porch doubles as an entrance to the house and as an extension of the living-dining room area.

Plan HA622R, with 720 sq. ft. of living space, was designed by Jan Reiner, 1000 52nd St. No., St. Petersburg, Fla., 33710.

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TIME	KFVS Channel 12 Cape Girardeau	WPSD Channel 6 Paducah	WSIL Channel 3 Harrisburgh
FRIDAY EVENING PROGRAMS			
5	:10 The Regional News- :45 The Storeboard-Colo :50 watching the Weather		:00 Cartoons :30 Evening News (C)
6	:00 CBS Evening News- :10 Family Affair-Co:	:30 Daniel Boone	:00 Cactus Pete (C) :25 Weather (C) :30 Jacques Cousteau
7	:00 The Jim Nabors Hour-	:30 Bob Hope Christmas Show	:30 Bewitched
8	:00CBS Thureday Night Movie-(Escape from Fort Bravo-John Forsythe & William Holden)		:00 Tom Jones (C)
9		:00 Dean Martin Show	:00 It Takes A Thief
10	:00 Channel 12 Reports :15 The Late Weather- :25 The Sports Final- :30 The Merv Griffin	:00 News Picture :30 Tonight Show	:00 Weather & News :30 Dick Cavett (C)
11			
12	:00 Late News Highlights		:00 News & Sign Off
SATURDAY PROGRAMS			
6	:00 Sunrise Semester-Color :30 Channel 12 Breakfast Show Gospel Train-Color	:30 TV Party Line	
7	:00 CBS Morning News-Color :30 Channel 12 Breakfast Show	:00 Today Show	
8	:00 Captain Kangaroo-		
9	:00 The Lucy Show-CBS :30 The Beverly Hillbillies	:00 Romper Room - c :25 Nancy Dickerson :30 Concentration -	:00 Jack Lalanne :30 Morning Movie
10	:00 The Andy Griffith :30 Love of Life-Color	:00 Sale of the Century :30 Hollywood Squares -	
11	:00 Where the Heart Is- :25 Midday News-Color C :30 Search for Tomorrow	:00 Jeopardy - c :30 Who-What- or Where Game :55 Floyd Kalber with News	:00 Bewitched :30 That Girl
12	:00 The Farm Picture- :05 The Noonday News- :20 Watching the Weather :30 As the World Turns-C	:00 News, Farm Markets :15 Pastor Speaks - c :30 Life with Linkletter	:00 Dream House (C) :30 Lots Make A Deal
1	:00 Love Many Splend Thing- :30 The Guiding Light-Color	:00 Days of our Lives :30 The Doctors - c	:00 Newlywed Game :30 Dating Game (C)
2	:00 The Secret Storm- :30 The Edge of Night	:00 Another World :30 Bright Promise	:00 General Hospital :30 One Life To Live
3	:00 Gomer Pyle USMC-Color :30 Magic Castle Cartoon	:00 Name Droppers :30 It Takes Two :55 Calendar - c	:00 Dark Shadows (C) :30 M-Modern Alumnae T-W-T-Problems & Challenges F-Lawman
4	:00 The Mike Douglas Show-	:00 Popeye - c :30 Perry Mason :30 Big 6 Dance Party	:00 The Hour

Looking Back

Teachers Organize

50 years ago
January 15, 1920

Monday afternoon the teachers of the Sikeston High School and elementary school organized a Community Teachers' Association, with the following officers: Miss Lydia Chaney, chairman; Miss Maude Phillips, vice-chairman; and Marvin L. Burton, secretary-treasurer. The teachers wish to group themselves so that they can meet conveniently and form a local center for various forms of professional activity.

Louis Carl Erdmann, the seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. L.C. Erdmann, who was injured last Saturday when an automobile driven by Ethel Bradley struck him, is reported to be making a good recovery. The boy suffered a severe fracture at the base of the skull and on the left side, extending into the left ear. He is now being cared for in the deaconess Hospital in St. Louis.

Charleston--The business of the Russell-Whitener Implement Co., here was sold last week to the Ostner Mercantile Co., who have assumed charge. The store will be managed by F. M. Ostner, who has been in charge of the company's store at Diehlstadt, with Oscar Wise and Carl Trickey as his assistants. Arch S. Russell, who has been manager, will remove from this city at an early date, either west or south.

Jackson and Russell Milem left Monday for Sewanee, Tenn., where they are attending the University of the South this winter.

40 years ago
January 15, 1930

Morehouse--J. W. Sarff of Cape Girardeau spent last week here.

Charleston--J. L. Priester spent the weekend in Detroit, Mich.

Matthews--Mrs. M. E. Prouty of Sikeston visited with relatives here during the holidays.

According to official readings of the government gauges by Glenn Fisher of the State Grain Inspection office here, Sikeston has had a total rainfall of 8.94 inches since the first of the new year.

30 years ago
January 15, 1940

John Allen Neal, 48, who farmed two miles west of Matthews, died Thursday at St. Francis Hospital, Cape Girardeau, of a kidney disease. He suffered a protracted illness that was critical the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Ensor, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Dudley and Mr. and Mrs. George Kirk were dinner guests Saturday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chase in Cape Girardeau.

Wilbur Ensor of the State Highway Department office was taken to Southeast Missouri Hospital, Cape Girardeau, Saturday night, suffering with a strepodococcic infection of the throat.

Displaying consistently good form, Coach Vernon Green's Bulldogs had things pretty much their own way Friday night at Perryville and defeated the Pirates, 33-10 holding the losers to a single field goal the entire evening.

20 years ago
January 15, 1950

Malvin Forrest, 31, an employe of Hart's Bakery, sustained a laceration of the back of his left hand when the member came in contact with a slicing machine blade Thursday. He was treated at the Delta Community Hospital.

Hospital notes. Mr. and Mrs. John Felker, Sikeston, baby boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Williford, East Prairie, baby boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Harris, Sikeston, baby girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Donaldson Cook, Morehouse, baby girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Wright, Canalou, baby girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Malvin Cagle, Essex, baby girl.

Funeral services for Henry Best, 76 year old former resident of Sikeston, were held Saturday at the Trinity Lutheran Church in Cape Girardeau.

Rex Theatre, tomorrow, "Fury at Furnace Creek" with Victor Mature and Coleen Gray. Malone Theatre, tomorrow, Robert Young and Barbara Hale in "And Baby Makes Three."

The Prayer
from
The Upper Room

I say unto you, That except your righteousness shall exceed the righteousness of the scribes and Pharisees, ye shall in no case enter into the kingdon of heaven. (Matthew 5:20)

PRAYER: Spirit of god, remove the deadness from my religion. Give me a hunger and thirst for the reality Christ offers. I now hunger, I now knock, I wait, I take by faith, I receive now. Amen.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

OFFICERS OF KINGSWAY Chapter 144, Royal Arch Masons installed at Masonic Temple, were front row, from left, Elbert F. Sloan treasurer; Walter A. Powell, king; W. Earl Marcum, high priest; Melvin E. Moyers, scribe, nd August V. Butlet, secretary; back row, Clarence E. Sadler, principal sojourner; Larry K. Lindsey, master second veil; Owen E. Nance, master third veil; Donald L. Swilley, chaplain, and Travis Holt, sentinel.

If You Were the Judge

Fleshy Entitled to More Time on Train

By Jack Strauss, LL.B.

While Farmer Gray bred swine, his wife great fat. She was so fat, in fact, that while traveling by train to see her sister, she nearly got killed. After unwedging herself from her seat at her destination, she attempted to disembark with disastrous results.

As she was about to step down to the station platform, the train lurched forward as it was about to start up again and sent Mrs. Gray tumbling. She sued the railroad company for her injuries.

"I wasn't given enough time to leave the train," complained Mrs. Gray in court. " The fact is, I'm built for comfort, not for speed."

"That's where the fault lies," responded the attorney for the railroad company. "We carry passengers and not freight. While there was more than ample time for a person to leave the train, she was as slow as molasses in getting off."

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you make the railroad company pay hefty Mrs. Gray for her injuries?

This is how the judge ruled: YES! The judge held that a fleshy woman has a right to ride on a train and is entitled to more time in leaving a train than might be required for a foot-racer or a greyhound. Mrs. Gray, concluded the judge, did not receive enough time to disembark.

(Based upon a 1896 Illinois Appellate Court Decision)

A baby kangaroo is slightly longer than one at birth, according to Encyclopaedia Britannica.

Probate Court

BENTON: These cases were heard here recently:

Estate of Lula Lesure, a minor, Nora Lesure, Successor Guardian; FINAL SETTLEMENT; ORDER OF DISCHARGE (attaining the age of 21, final settlement was made and estate consisting of $3,964.36, cash in bank is distributed to former minor. Successor Guardian is discharged.)

Estate of Edward Bles, deceased, Mary Westrich, Administratrix; SEMI-ANNUAL SETTLEMENT. (disbursements of $5,193.96, leaving balance of $12,470.37)

Estate of H.S. Lumsden, deceased, Nelson Lumsden, Adm. With Will Annexed. FINAL SETTLEMENT. (120 acres to Alice Lumsden, Kathleen Duckett and Barbara Albury as co-trustees)

Estate of Quinn Mays, deceased, Toni Mays, Executrix. DEMAND ALLOWED. ($762.81 bal. on open account for farm implements, parts, repairs.)

Marriage Licenses

BENTON: These marriage license's have been recorded with John Bollinger:

Larry Thomas Holmes, Illmo and Helen Rose Dirnberger, Chaffee, were married there by Rev. James J. Holmes.

Jerry Wayne Rosson and Lillie Mae French, both of Charleston, were married there by Rev. Kirby W. Trew, Jr.

Joseph Edward Birdsong, Avondale and Glenda Gennetta Wolverton, Sikeston, were married there by Rev. Tommy Kidd.

David Lee Auston, Maplewood, St. Louis and Deborah Sue Williams, Morley, were married there by Rev. George Huffstutter.

Corey Michael Condon, and Christine Mozina both of Joliet, Ill., were married in Sikeston, by Rev. Harold G. Lohamann.

Theodore Edgar Hicks, Sikeston, and Georgia Alice Jacox, Morley, were married there by Rev. Robert W. Carrow.

Paul Terry Kester, Scott City, and Dianna Lynn Johnston, Illmo, were married in Scott City, by Rev. Clay Brooks.

Thomas Bruce Castleman, Scott City, and Marjorie Darlene Lynn, Cape Girardeau, were married in Scott City by Rev. Clay Brooks.

Franklin David Welter and Linda Lucille Halter both of Chaffee, were married there by Rev. James J. Holmes.

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Settings-Circ. Court

Thursday January 15th 1940, Tom Simms vs. Shell Oil Co., DAMAGES.

State vs. R.J. Swieger, STEALING OVER VALUE OF $50.00.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

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2 Dr. - 6 cyclinder engine, standard transmission radio

1967 MUSTANG
Fastback - V-8 engine, automatic transmission

1969 FORD
Torino - 2 dr. hardtop, V-8 engine, power steering, automatic transmission, air conditioning, vinyl roof

1966 FORD
Fairlane 500 Wagon - power steering, automatic transmission, air condition

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Today In U.S. History

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Thursday, Jan. 15, the 15th day of 1970. There are 350 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1922, the Irish Free State was established.

On this date:

In 1759, the British Museum opened.

In 1831, the first honeymoon trip was made by rail. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pierson, Ramapo, N.Y., traveled six miles on the new South Carolina railroad.

In 1870, a cartoon in Harper's Weekly depicted the Democratic party as a donkey. It is believed this was the first time the symbol was used for the party.

In 1919, Pianist Ignace Jan Paderewski became the first premier of the new Republic of Poland.

In 1936, Japan withdrew from the London Naval Conference after the other four nations refused to grant the Japanese parity.

In 1953, President Harry Truman made a farewell broadcast from the White House. He was the first outgoing president to do so.

Ten years ago— the Soviet government approved a reduction of more than one million men in the armed forces of the U.S.S.R.

Five years ago — 90-year-old Sir Winston Churchill was described as in grave condition after suffering a stroke.

One year ago — Three Soviet cosmonauts were shot into orbit to rendezvous with a cosmonaut already circling the earth.

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By CLAY R. POLLAN

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To develop message for Friday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

1 Don't	31 Don't	61 Lead	
2 Try	32 Smart	62 If	
3 Don't	33 You	63 Spirit	
4 Press	34 Luck	64 Or	
5 Let	35 Separate	65 To	
6 Your	36 Are	66 Action	
7 Be	37 No	67 Hand	
8 Your	38 To	68 Driving	
9 To	39 An	69 Someone's	
10 Attracted	40 Like	70 Today	
11 Keep	41 Prepared	71 Big	
12 Run	42 Animating	72 Misplace	
13 Your	43 To	73 And	
14 An	44 Telling	74 Makers	
15 Your	45 Out	75 Champion	
16 Expenses	46 What'll	76 Speak	
17 Race	47 Yourself	77 Your	
18 Advantage	48 Be	78 Your	
19 It's	49 Trend	79 You'll	
20 Show	50 Forget	80 Ambitions	
21 Easy	51 Of	81 Today's	
22 May	52 A	82 Alive	
23 Mind	53 From	83 Brassy	
24 Is	54 By	84 Mind	
25 Others	55 Opportune	85 Valuables	
26 Be	56 To	86 Horoscope	
27 Wonder	57 Happen	87 Win	
28 Get	58 Trouble-	88 Today	
29 Gained	59 Afraid	89 Frankly	
30 There's	60 In	90 Idea	

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ARIES MAR. 21 – APR. 19 — 2- 9-11-13 — 63-73-80-82

TAURUS APR. 20 – MAY 20 — 12-15-17-40 — 52-75-79-87

GEMINI MAY 21 – JUNE 20 — 3- 5- 8-23 — 27-62-68

CANCER JUNE 21 – JULY 22 — 30-39-42-49 — 60-78-81-86

LEO JULY 23 – AUG. 22 — 26-32-35-47 — 53-58-74

VIRGO AUG. 23 – SEPT. 22 — 20-25-33-36 — 41-56-61

LIBRA SEPT. 23 – OCT. 22 — 14-18-24-29 — 54-55-66

SCORPIO OCT. 23 – NOV. 21 — 31-48-59-65 — 76-77-84-89

SAGITTARIUS NOV. 22 – DEC. 21 — 16-22-28-45 — 51-67-70

CAPRICORN DEC. 22 – JAN. 19 — 4- 6-34-37 — 44-46-57

AQUARIUS JAN. 20 – FEB. 18 — 19-21-38-50 — 64-72-85-88

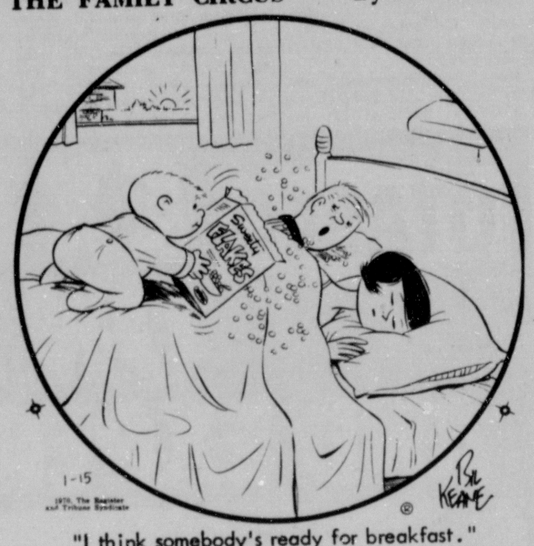
PISCES FEB. 19 – MAR. 20 — 1- 7-10-43 — 69-71-83-90

F19 Good Adverse Neutral

SIDE GLANCES by Gill Fox

"You wouldn't happen to have a flight that just gets you there, would you?"

THE FAMILY CIRCUS By Bil Keane



"I think somebody's ready for breakfast."

CARNIVAL by Dick Turner

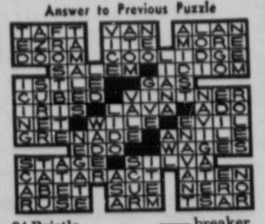
"How would I know? With a computer at the office and a wife at home I no longer find it necessary to form opinions!"

TIZZY by Kate Osann

"In my opinion, sir, some history SHOULD be rewritten!"

Water Vessels

Answer to Previous Puzzle

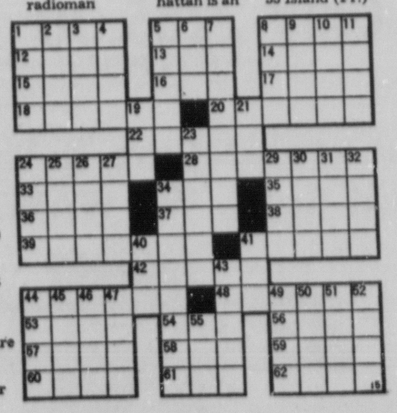


ACROSS

1 Flat-bottomed boat
5 World War II vessel
8 Three-masted vessel
12 Corn bread
13 Japanese name
14 Lake —— ore carrier
15 Asseverate
16 The Queen Elizabeth 2 is a —— cruise ship
17 Arachnid
18 Tranquil
20 Spiritless
22 Retinue
24 Remains behind
28 Withstands
33 Strays
34 Exist
35 Barge on the ——
36 Fork prong
37 Yugoslav city
38 Small island
38 North or South ——
41 Meat cut
42 Epithet of Demeter
44 Solid (comb. form)
48 Pays back
53 Comfort
54 Narrow inlet
56 Kirghiz mountains
57 Crafts
58 Cloth measure
59 Eft
60 Let it stand
61 English river
62 Lampreys

DOWN

1 Mineral springs
2 Inlet for a pirate ship
3 Heavy blow
4 Have existed
5 Transatlantic vessel
6 Female saint (ab.)
7 Used by tugboats (pl.)
8 Ancient Greek measure
9 Dry
10 Ceremony
11 Sharp
19 Net tons (ab.)
21 Conclusion
23 Necessity for a ship's radioman
24 Bristle
25 Nautical term
26 English composer
27 Belgian river
29 Distinct part
30 Elevation
31 Feminine appellation
32 Look for
34 Moored, as a boat
40 The SS Manhattan is an —— breaker
41 Observe
43 Papal cape
44 The seven ——
45 Small pastry
46 Italian city
47 Pause
49 Window glass
50 Toward the sheltered side
51 Light sailing vessel
52 Perches
55 Island (Fr.)



THE RYATTS by Elrod

PEANUTS by Schulz

MARY WORTH by Saunders & Ernst

CAPTAIN EASY by Leslie Turner

STEVE CANYON by Milton Caniff

THE PHANTOM by Falk & Berry

ALLEY OOP by V.T. Hamlin

BEETLE BAILEY by Mort Walker

OBITUARIES

ELIGE CURD

CAPE GIRARDEAU — Elige Herman Curd, 61, formerly of Dexter, died Tuesday at his home.

He was born Sept. 12, 1908. Curd was married March 21, 1931 to Wilma Aline Goodman.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by a son, James Vernon Curd, Cape Girardeau; his mother, Mrs. Carrie Curd Carr, Dexter; three brothers, Junior, Wm., and Thomas Curd, all of Dexter; four sisters, Mrs. Leona Workman, Advance, Mrs. Fern Courter, Zalma, Mrs. Bonnie Swinger, Dexter, and Mrs. Martha Stanberry, Morehouse, and two grandchildren.

Friends may call after 10 a.m. Thursday morning at the Watkins and Sons Funeral Home in Dexter.

Services will be Friday at 2 p.m. in the funeral home The Rev. O. M. Montgomery will conduct the service.

Burial will be in the Triplet Cemetery near Dexter.

ADA BROUGHTON

NEW MADRID - Mrs. Ada Broughton, 95, life long New Madrid resident, died at 8:30 p.m. Wednesday in the Missouri Delta Community hospital in Sikeston, where she had been a patient since Monday.

She was born March 21, 1874 in New Madrid. She married Samuel Edward Broughton Jr. in 1908. He preceeded her in death June 24, 1939.

Survivors include three neices, Mrs. Ruth Lee of Portageville, Miss Linda Stewart of New Madrid, and Mrs. Olive Christian of Crestwood; and a nephew, Bill Burns of St. Louis.

Recitation of the Rosary will be 7:30 p.m. Friday in Richards Funeral Home.

Services will be at 11 a.m. Saturday at the Immaculate Conception Catholic church with the Rev. Fr. Amel Shibley, Malden, officiating.

Burial will be in Evergreen cemetery.

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Raymond A. May

Malden Sergeant Die in Vietnam

MALDEN -- S-Sgt. Raymond Allen May, 33 - year - old career serviceman with the Army was killed in action Jan. 9 while serving in Vietnam.

May was commander of a military vehicle, and was killed while on a military mission. He has completed more than 15 years of service with the army.

His body will be returned to the states, and funeral arrangements are pending the arrival of the body. Arrangements will be announced by he Landess Funeral Home.

May was born Nov. 5, 1936 at Gideon, the son of David Allen and Flow Bateman May. He was married at Malden on Nov. 3, 1956 to Miss Lillian Baker, and attended Gideon schools prior to inlisting in the U.S. Army. His wife and their three children reside at 103-A Willis-Drive, Industrial Park, Malden, and were notified of his death Monday.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Lillian May of Malden; two sons, Raymond Allen Jr., and Kevin Lacy and one daughter, Sheri Juanita, all of the home; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David A. May of Gideon; four brothers, Dale of St. Louis, Jerry of Godfrey, Ill., Coy of Blytheville AFB, Ark., and Gary of Rockford, Ill.; and two sisters. Mrs. Shirley Abernathy of Manhattan, Kan., and Mrs. Nancy Coleman of Moro, Ill.

ROSA B. BUSH

BLOOMFIELD -- A rural Bloomfield woman was found dead in her home at 2 p.m. Tuesday, Stoddard County authorities said.

They identified the woman as Mrs. Rosa B. Bush, a widow 76 who lived alone. Authorities said she had been dead since about midnight Monday.

Stoddard County Coroner Ray Rainey said there was no evidence of foul play. He said it appeared Mrs. Bush had fallen, fractured a hip, and died of shock and exposure.

The body was found by Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Shelly, neighbors of Mrs. Bush, who said they entered the house when the light was seen burning Tuesday afternoon.

The body was taken to Rainey Funeral Home at Dexter.

Hit-Song Composer H.W. Woods Dies

PHOENIX, Ariz. (AP) — Harry MacGregor Woods, 74, composer of "When the Moon Comes Over the Mountain" and more than 300 other songs, was struck and killed by a car Tuesday night near his home. Among other old hits composed by Woods were "Side by Side," "I'm Looking Over A Four Leafed Clover," and "When the Red Red Robin Comes Bob Bob Bobbin' Along."

Post-Pendergast K.C. Mayor Dies

KANSAS CITY (AP) — John B. Gage, mayor of Kansas City for three terms in the turbulent days following the smashing of the Pendergast Democratic machine, died today.

Gage, 82, died of injuries received Dec. 11 when he was struck by a truck near his downtown law office.

Under Gage's leadership a near bankrupt city, lawless and machine- rule ridden in the 1930s made a comeback that attracted as much national attention over the next decade as had the gang slayings, unrestrained red light districts and general decadence of the preceding 10 years.

Former Legislator And Publisher Dies

BRANSON, Mo. (AP) — Former state Sen. William E. Freeland, 91, of Forsyth, died Wednesday in Skaggs Memorial Hospital following a heart attack.

Freeland was publisher emeritus of the Taney County Republican and the White River Leader and was a past president of the Missouri Press Association.

He bought the Republican in 1917.

Freeland served in the Missouri House from 1923 through 1935 and the Missouri Senate from 1936 through 1940.

He is survived by his wife, Minnie, and two daughters, Mrs. Freda Ingenthron of Forsyth and Miss Maude Freeland of Columbia.

River Stages

	Flood	Now	Ch
St. Louis	30	-0.9	-0.4
Chester	27	11.6	+0.6
Cape Girardeau	32	18.2	+0.6
Cairo	40	22.0	-3.1
New Madrid	34	14.8	-2.5
Caruthersville	32	17.0	-2.4
Memphis	34	15.6	-2.4

The Roman naturalist Pliny and Elder believed that earthquakes were protests from Mother Earth against wicked miners who stole her gold and silver.

Local Stocks

	BID	ASK
First Nat. Bank of Sikeston	6	6½
Anheuser Busch	74¾	75¼
Ark Mo Power	14	14½
Calvert Exploration	5¾	6
Clinton Oil	9¼	9½
Frontier Tower	1¾	2¼
Olson Bros	3	3½
Malone and Hyde	20½	21
Mo Beef Packers	24¾	
Pabst Brewing	44¾	45½
Wetterau	23	23¾
LISTED STOCKS		
Airlift		3
Allied Stores		27¾
American Motors		10
Amer. Tel & Tel.		49¾
Chrysler		32½
Columbia Gas		25¾
Eaton Mfg.		37
Ford Motors		40¾
General Motors		67½
New England Elect		21½
Transogram		13¼

EDITORS NOTE: The Bid Price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximate price if one were a buyer. Quotations furnished by Hugh T. McCollum registered representative for Fusz Schmelzle and Co. 1405 East Malone. Phones 471-5350.

Five Most Active Stocks

The Dow- Jones Industrials at noon were down 3.83 on volume of 5,600,000 shares.

Trans. Inv	21 1/2	+ 1/8
Am Air.	25 3/4	Unch.
Tex. Indrr.	26	— 2 1/4
Lum	15 3/8	+ 1 1/8
Delta Air.	30	— 1/8

STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST

AT & T	49 5/8
Anheuser Busch	75 bid
Ark-Mo Power	14 bid
Banff Oil	12
Chrysler	32
Evans Prod.	35
Ford	40 5/8
General Motors	67
Keystone Indrr.	11 1/8
Mid- Amer. Great Plains	3 1/2 bid
Butler Nat.l.	12 3/4 bid
Perini	76
Transamerica	23 3/4
Transogram	13
Zapata Norness	37 1/4

These prices were provided at approximately 12 Noon today by Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith, 515 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo. You can call TOLL-FREE for quotes or other information by dialing 1-800-392- 3430.

Chlorophyll is the substance which makes the leaves of plants look green.

Livestock Market

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill. (AP) - Estimates for Friday: hogs 5,500; cattle 200; calves 25; sheep 100.

Hogs 7,000; barrows and gilts 25 to 75 lower; 1-3 200-240 lbs 27.25-27.75; 20 head 210 lbs 28.00; 2-3 210-250 lbs 26.50-27.25; 2-4 240-290 lbs 25.00-26.75; 1-2 170-180 lbs 25.25; sows steady to 25 lower; 1-3 300-400 lbs 23.50-24.00.

Cattle 900; calves 50; steers and heifers steady; slaughter steers choice 925-1,050 lbs 29.00-29.50; good and low choice 950-1,100 lbs 27.00-29.00; heifers choice 800-900 lbs 27.50-28.00; good 25.00-27.00; choice vealers 38.00- 42.00.

Sheep 200; steady; slaughter lambs choice and few prime 80-110 lbs 29.00-29.50; ewes good and choice 6.50-7.00.

The White House

The gray sandstone walls of the Executive Mansion were painted white to cover smoke stains after the building was burned during the War of 1812, and thereafter it began to be popularly known as the White House. This name was first used on the president's stationery during the administration of President Theodore Roosevelt.

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JACK ANDERSON SAYS: - Doctors warning Congress of dangers of the Pill; Food & Drug Administration fails adequate tests; AMA Journal lauds Pill to win Advertiser's favor.

Robert Mitchell

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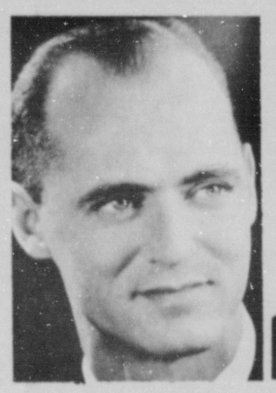

John Moll

Don Agnew

Tax Petition Okay

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Secy. of State James C. Kirkpatrick said today the anti-income tax forces of state Sen. Earl R. Blackwell, D-Hillsboro, had collected enough signatures to force the tax boost law to a referendum test by the voters.

He said there were enough signatures collected in the 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, and 10th congressional districts. Under the constitution the number of signatures on referendum petitions must at least equal 5 per cent of those voting in the last election for governor in at least seven of the 10 congressional districts.

Kirkpatrick said the count has not been completed but he felt it expedient to make the announcement as soon as the count showed sufficient signatures.

Gov. Warren E. Hearnes, who had expected the referendum drive to be successful, said he had no comment immediately. He said he might have something to say about it in his message to the special session of the legislature that convenes next Monday.

Directors Elected

Directors of the Sikeston Industrial Development Corporation met at the city administration building last night and elected seven men to three - year board terms.

They were Bob Mitchell, Fielding Potashnick, Charles Mitchell, Charles Stamp, John Moll, Clem Beal and Don Agnew. All but Agnew were re-elected. Agnew replaces Jack Hogan, who has moved from Sikeston.

Allan Blanton was elected to fill an unexpired term of Bud Davis, who has moved to Memphis. The term runs to 1971.

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

For the first time since World War II, all of Europe's major nations and power blocs appear to be close to speaking terms with each other at the same time.

West Germany and the Soviet Union are busy negotiating an agreement to renounce the use of force. West Germany also is on the verge of starting talks with the Communist satellite nations of Poland and Czechoslovakia. And, wonder of wonders, East and West Germany have exchanged notes exploring the possibility of starting talks.

Now that Charles De Gaulle no longer is the president of France, objections to British membership in the European Common Market seem to have evaporated. And the economic alliance, consisting at present of France, West Germany, Italy, Luxembourg, Belgium and the Netherlands, appears to be on the verge of admitting Ireland, Norway and Denmark, as well as the traditionally opposed England.

The Soviet Union and its Warsaw Pact associates have invited Western European nations to participate in a European security conference, and North Atlantic Treaty Organization allies meeting last December in Brussels approved a resolution which did not rule out the Communist proposal.

Although the flurry of diplomatic activity is, on some fronts, only tentative, at this point, the very fact that traditional opponents are talking publicly about talking with each other is heartening to those who would like to see a reduction in European tension.

The West German talks with the Soviet Union, actually, are rather one- sided. The Russians, as a condition for membership in the United Nations, already have agreed to renounce the use of force. Although it is questionable whether the Soviets have adhered to the agreement, it is on record. West Germany, since it is not a United Nations member, has not signed the U.N. agreement to forego force. But by negotiating such an agreement with the Soviet Union, the Bonn government hopes to set the stage for greater cooperation with the Eastern nations, including closer economic ties.

Talks between the West Germans and Poland, which governments of both countries have indicated they favor, would center on Polish demands that West Germany recognize the legality of Poland's seizure at the end of World War II of German territories east of the Oder-Neisse rivers.

And West Germany, in response to a Czech invitation, has declared it is willing "at any time" for talks with the Prague government aimed at establishing normal diplomatic relations between the two countries.

An East German call for talks with West Germany contains demands previously rejected by West Germany that the Bonn government recognize East Germany as a separate nation and that West Berlin be set up as an independent state, with formal recognition from both East and West Germany.

The West German reply skirted the issue of the Communist demands. West German President Gustave Heinemann wrote he was passing the East German proposal to the coalition government of Socialist Chancellor Willy Brandt. It was expected the Bonn government would agree to the talks, but not to the Berlin government's demands for formal recognition.

No date has been set for talks on admitting new members to the European Common Market, but a French representative has indicated the negotiations could start by the middle of 1970. Former President De Gaulle blocked British membership for years, following Britain's refusal to join the Common Market when it was first formed. With De Gaulle no longer on the scene, it is more likely than ever that Britain will get in.

The Communist bloc nations recently issued a call for Western European nations to join them in a discussion of European security. The Communists said they had in mind the renunciation of force by both sides and broadened technical and scientific cooperation between East and West.

The NATO nations recently approved a vague resolution with the counterproposal that more meaningful issues be discussed, such as "mutual and balanced force reductions" by both sides in Europe. The resolution cautioned against a conference which would simply "Ratify the present division of Europe."

Exiled Biafran Leader Accuses Nigeria of Plotting Genocide

GENEVA (AP) — Gen. C. Odumegvu Ojukwu charged today Nigeria seeks to draw an iron curtain around conquered Biafra in order to carry out genocide. He appealed for a neutral force to prevent it.

"The sole motive behind Nigeria's determination to draw an iron curtain over Biafra and exclude international observers, relief agencies, journalists ... is to make sure that the atrocities they will certainly carry out in Biafra is unseen and unreported in the world press," the former Biafran leader said from a secret hideout.

"I repeat the aims of Nigeria are genocidal—the test that the contrary is the case would be her willingness to admit humanitarian agencies whom Gowon has now openly declared he will exclude."

Maj. Gen. Yakubu Gowon is Nigeria's leader.

Ojukwu also appealed for the world to help Biafrans whom he described as starving and exhausted after an unsuccessful fight for independence from Nigeria.

"I implore the world to rise to this desperate need, to mount all possible pressures on Nigeria to insure that food gets to my people," Ojukwu said in a statement distributed by Markpress in Geneva.

Markpress, public relations consultant acting as Biafra's overseas press service, said it got the statement "directly from Gen. Ojukwu."

It said it was under strict instructions not to reveal the general's whereabouts. It added, however, it obtained the statement from the Biafran mission in Lisbon, Portugal.

Markpress has received all communications from Biafra through the Lisbon mission.

Ojukwu said: "I appeal to all governments and international organizations, countries and churches of the world, men and women of good will, to both our friends and enemies ... to come forward to assist and protect the lives and talents of Biafra."

Ojukwu, who fled Biafra ahead of sweeping Nigerian troops last weekend, said he left his province "knowing that while I live, Biafra lives. If I am no more it would be only a matter of time for the noble concept to be swept into oblivion."

Ojukwu declared his province, inhabited chiefly by Ibo tribesmen, independent from the rest of Nigeria on May 30, 1967. He accused the central government of trying to obliterate the Ibos.

Patterson Tells of Tax Hike Need

State Sen. J. F. "Pat" Patterson, Caruthersville, centered a talk to the Lions Club yesterday on the need of a state income tax increase.

The issue erupted into a controversial issue when Sen. Earl Blackwell, Hillsboro, launched a referendum petition campaign to block the increase.

The increase had been scheduled to go into effect Jan. 1.

It is expected Gov. Warren Hearnes will call an election for a vote on the issue as a result of Blackwell's petitions

Patterson, who spoke at the Rustic Rock, Inn, says schools, higher education, mental health care and state agencies will be severely hurt if the increase is not approved.

Kennedy Hit By Car, Hurt

Sig Kennedy, 76, 703 Gulf, was bruised this morning when he stepped in front of a car at North Main and Lake at 8:30 a.m.

Robert L. Hambrick, 515 Carroll, said Kennedy stepped out from behind a car. Hambrick was traveling north. Kennedy told officers he did not see the Hambrick car approach.

The injured man was taken to the Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

Driver Injured

James French, 43, St. Louis, driver of a 1968 Ford pickup truck failed to stop at a stop sign at the junction of highways 67 and 31 in Wayne County, lost control, went across the road and struck a dirt embankment at 1:35 a.m. today.

He received a leg injury and was taken to Doctors hospital in Popiar Bluff.

Pistol Stolen

Police reported a Colt .38 pistol was stolen at 8:37 a.m. Wednesday from a show case at Homestead Distributing Company.

Two Men Held At Jackson

JACKSON - The Cape Girardeau county Sheriff's Office reported today that they were holding James Willis Beal, 28, Grandin, and Cornel Lee Stacy, 25, Doniphan.

Police picked up the two men at 3 a.m. today. Articles in their possession were being checked.

Beal, owner and operator of a cafe, is being held in the county jail for the Federal Bureau of Investigation on a charge of interstate transportation of an automobile from Danville, Va. to Vanita, Okla. in July of 1969. His bond has been set at $3,000.

Officers said Stacy, a cafe employe, is wanted in Arkansas in connection with a burglary of a jewelry store along with Beal.

Police then stopped two men for a car license check and discovered both were wanted in Heber Springs, Ark., and one was wanted in Tulsa.

The two were arrested when police said they found diamond rings, watches, knives and pistols in the car.

Police said James W. Beal, 28, of Grandin is wanted by the FBI in Tulsa for inter state transport of a stolen car.

The FBI said Beal appeared before a U. S. commissioner in Jackson today and was remanded to custody of the U. S. marshal in St. Louis in leiu of $3,000 bond. Agents said Beal would be moved to Tulsa for trial.

The FBI said both Beal and the other from Doniphan, are wanted in Heber Springs in connection with a series of burglaries.

90-Day Sentence on Driving Charge

BENTON -- Donald Jean McWhirter, Bertrand, was sentenced to 90 days in jail Wednesday in magistrate court on a charge of driving while intoxicated. Judge John Sides suspended a $100 fine on the charge upon payment of court costs.

Maureen Tidmore, Oran, was fined $5 for careless driving. Tommy Creacy, West Frankfort, Ill., was fined $15 on the same charge.

William Neal, Palmyra, Ill., was fined $18 for driving a truck in Missouri without a public service commission permit.

A. R. Burger III, Oran, was fined $13.50 for speeding. Bill Sadler, Morley, was fined $10 for disturbing the peace. He was given a 30-day suspended jail term.

James E. Moore III, assistant Scott County prosecuting attorney, represented the state.

Charleston to Vote On Urban Renewal

CHARLESTON - The city council met in regular session Tuesday night with Mayor Joe W. Layton presiding.

The council set Feb. 24 at the date for special election on urban renewal.

The council approved a bid from Peachy Lutz of $140.80 for the purchase of a 20-inch by 12-inch bronze plaque to be erected in the Dr. E. Charles Rowlings park. The price includes the mounting.

Bids were received from three firms on making a comprehensive study of the city sewer and water system with recommendations for expansion of the distribution and collection system. The council will take the quotes under advisement and vote on them at the next meeting.

Signs calling attention to Charleston as the home of Gov. Warren E. Hearnes will be moved to the Paul Handy Moore land one-half mile west of the city by the city crew within the next month. The council discussed the possibility of changing the lighting of the signs due to the high cost of the present lighting system. City manager Richard Martin is to check on the cost of vapor lighting.

Maurice Newlon met with the council and requested a no parking sign be removed from the south side of East Cypress between First Street and Matthews. The board approved the removal of the sign except for the first 100 feet.

The police court, fire reports and expenditures for the city for the month of December were approved.

City manager Richard Martin will make a study on converting Market Street from Main to First and from Main to Center to a one way street to allow diagonal parking.

Finger Injured

David Lee Culbertson of Sikeston hit his index finger, right hand, with a sledge hammer in craft class at Sikeston high school. His injury was treated in Missouri Delta Community hospital Wednesday.

News Briefs

New Commercial Satellite

CAPE KENNEDY, Fla. (AP) — A commercial communications satellite zipped through a great oval orbit today, carrying a rocket motor which must fire successfully Friday to avoid a multi-million-dollar insurance payoff by an international group of underwriters.

The Intelsat 3 payload rode into space Wednesday night aboard a Delta booster.

The first three stages of the Delta fired flawlessly and propelled the 642-pound satellite into a preliminary orbit ranging from about 165 to 22,700 miles above the earth.

But the insurance companies won't be able to breathe easy until the fourth stage fires for a 27-second burst about 9 a.m. EST Friday. The ignition is to kick the payload into a stationary orbit 22,300 miles above the Atlantic Ocean, where it is to serve as a telephone and television link between North and South America, Europe and Africa.

Can Meet Standards

DETROIT (AP) — General Motors President Edward N. Cole says his firm can meet increasingly tough federal pollution standards and produce an "essentially pollution free" car by 1980.

But, the head of the nation's No. 1 automaker told the Society of Automotive Engineers Wednesday, the federal government could help if it would quickly make known its plans for future exhaust emission standards.

Cole said time is needed for the automobile industry—which designs cars several years in advance—and the fuel industry to meet new standards.

"It is my opinion that the gasoline internal combustion engine can be made essentially pollution free in the hands of the public," Cole said.

He said one possible route to more effective pollution control would be elimination of the antiknock compound tetra-ethyl lead.

Trial Date of March 19 Set

City Court Judge James Sickal set March 19 as a trial date for the Rev. Harold F. Lohrman, who is charged with interferring with a police officer, resisting arrest, destruction of private property and disorderly conduct.

The clergyman entered a plea of innocent.

The date was set in a hearing Wednesday at the police station court room. The Rev. Mr. Lohrman's charges stem from an incident involving him and Police Chief Arthur Bruce at the station last year. The minister, pastor of Concordia Lutheran church, is free on $100 bond.

In other action yesterday, Delmar Barks was fined $16 for speeding.

Doyle Stokes was fined $31 for careless driving.

Tom Flippo was fined $31 for assault.

Paul D. Phillips was fined $56 for threatening a person with a dangerous weapon. He was fined $21 for disturbing the peace.

William Timothy Kirk was fined $51 for careless driving.

Charles W. Richey was fined $15 for peace disturbance.

Bennie Darty was fined $11 for careless driving.

Dale Lewis was fined $11 for destroying city property.

Mac Dodd was fined $21 for resisting arrest.

Sikeston's Outstanding Young Man Will Be Announced

Sikeston's outstanding young man of 1969 will be announced tomorrow at the Jaycee's annual distinguished service award dinner at the Country Club at 6:30 p.m.

A committee headed by Jaycee Don Newton has been canvassing churches, businesses, clubs and organizations to determine which young man, 21 through 35, has contributed most to the community during the year. Last year's winner was Stan Eudy.

The winner will be entered in the Missouri Jaycee contest, which chooses the eight outstanding young men in the state. Those winners will be entered in the U. S. Jaycees competition to determine America's ten outstanding young men.

Outfielder Lee Thomas of the Houston Astros, representing Falstaff Brewing Corporation of St. Louis and Locke Distributint Company will address the Jaycees.

Thomas has logged eight years in the major leagues after a travel-filled six-season apprenticeship in the minors. The 6-foot - 2, 200-pound product of St. Louis' Beaumont high school bats left-handed and throws right. He celebrated his 32nd birthday Feb. 5, 1969.

Lee, signed by New York Yankee Super - Scout Lou Maguola to a bonus contract for the Yanks' Three-Eye League farm club at Quincy in 1955, matriculated to the majors via Binghampton, New York (Eastern League), Winston - Salem, N. C. (Carolina League), Richmond, Va. (International League) and Amarillo, Tex (Texas League). His first shot at a major league berth came in 1961 when he was traded with Ryen Duren and Johnny James to the Los Angeles Angels for Bob Cerv and Tex Clevenger.

He responded with a .285 batting average, swatted 24 home runs and batted in 70 runs for the Gene Autry - owned club. In that season, he tied an all-time major league record by collecting nine hits in a doubleheader against the Kansas City Athletics. He had a perfect 5 for 5 in the first game and went 4 for 6 in the nightcap. Three of those safeties were home runs, giving him another equalizer for an all-time major league record -- 19 total bases in one day. Ironically, the Angels lost both games in spite of Thomas efforts.

Lee Thomas

The 1962 season marked the highest finish for an expansion club, as the Angels wrapped up third place in the American League. Thomas was a definite factor in the attack, batting .290, socking 26 homers and driving in 104 runs. His productivity fell off in '63, resulting in a trade to the Boston Red Sox in mid-1964 for Lou Clinton. He finished strong with 15 homers and 65 RBI's and a .265 average.

In 1965, he spent the entire year with the Bosox, compiling a .270 average. Twenty - two round - trippers and 70 RBI's resulted. Lee was dealt to the Chicago Cubs in '66 for a two-year stint that saw him performing mainly in a pinch -hitter's role. He was traded to the Astros prior to the 1968 campaign. Pinch - hitting and part-time outfield duty brought only a .200 bat mark, one homer and 20 RBI's.

Thomas, his wife and two sons, Deron and Daryl live in Ferguson.

Weather

Cloudy tonight and Friday with a chance for showers Friday. Low tonight 30 to 35. High Friday in 50s. Probability for measurable precipitation 40 per cent Friday.

HIGH AND LOW YESTERDAY

High and low temperatures for the 24-hour period ending at 7:30 a.m. today were 41 and 21 degrees.

Sunset today ..... 5:05 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow ..... 7:11 a.m.
Moonset tomorrow ..... 2:18 a.m.
Full Moon ..... Jan. 22
PROMINENT CONSTELLATION
Orion in southeast ..... 7:47 p.m.
VISIBLE PLANETS
Saturn west of the moon.
Mars sets ..... 9:39 p.m.
Jupiter rises ..... 1:06 a.m.

Prospects for Small Plant Called Good

Keith Ziegenhorn, member of the Sikeston Chamber of Commerce industrial committee, said yesterday prospects are good for obtaining a small industry in mid- February that will employ from 25 to 30.

He said a bond issue may be required but explained no increase in taxes would be involved.

Ziegenhorn said negotiations with a major manufacturing concern also are pending.

Company names were not announced.

Specialist Says Circumstances Rare He Would Prescribe 'Pills'

WASHINGTON (AP) — A noted birth control specialist said today women are in a grim race with laboratory animals to determine the safety of the pill.

"The ultimate outcome of this race between dogs, monkeys and women can be anticipated by informed observers only with great apprehension and concern," Dr. Roy Hertz told the Senate monopoly subcommittee.

Hertz is chairman of the cancer task force of a Federal Food and Drug Administration advisory panel that twice has reported on the growing number of suspected hazards in taking oral contraceptives.

Testifying on the second day of hearings into the safety of oral contraceptives, Hertz said it might take years to confirm suspected links between the pill and cancer of the breast and uterus.

But he said it would be a "rare circumstance indeed" that would cause him to prescribe most current pills.

Hertz said much early testing of the pill had been misinterpreted. He blamed fear of the population explosion and drug industry pressure for creating a worldwide enthusiasm that hampers "truly comprehensive and objective evaluation of its merits and demerits."

Although Hertz made only passing reference to the drug industry, another witness blamed the drug makers for dispensing "untruthful and dangerous advice."

Dr. Edmond Kassouf, identified by subcommittee spokesmen as one of the first American practitioners to suspect serious side effects from the pill, said pamphlets given consumers failed to take note of studies definitely linking oral contraceptives to fatal blood clotting and other disorders.

Kassouf also accused the American Medical Association of having a "puzzling" record on birth control pills, refusing to publish or take note of some critical reports.

In testifying on the risk of cancer, Hertz singled out the widely used synthetic female hormone estrogen and said the overwhelming mass of studies had showed it caused cancer in mice, rats, rabbits, hamsters and dogs.

"It is also to be noted that all chemicals known to produce tumors in man such as aniline dyes, arsenic, coal tar and thorium also produce tumors in experimental animals and frequently in the same site," Hertz said.

Estrogen, a synthetic form of a female sex hormone, is the key agent in birth control pills. British researchers recently reported a link between high incidence of blood clotting and the use of pills containing more than 50 micrograms of estrogen and urged users to switch to brands containing not more than 50 micrograms.

Perhaps half of the estimated 8.5 million American pill users take products containing more than 50 micrograms. About 25 million micrograms equal to once ounce. U.S. health officials have asked the British for their research figures.

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BEADY EYES ARE WATCHING YOU

A squirrel eating grain at a backyard bird feeder demonstrates some of the practical lessons of life in this competitive world.

As you watch the squirrel, you realize that he also is watching you, even though you are peering through a slit between the curtains in the house. Just move the curtain and he is likely to jump.

While he has one eye on you, the squirrel also will be first to spy the neighborhood cat quietly moving into the yard from behind the garage, or the dogs that delight in chasing him up a tree. At the same time, he is wary of the bluejays that gather in the treetops to scold him.

All the time, the squirrel keeps eating, the grains of corn or wheat held in his front paws while he nibbles away. But not for one moment does he relax his guard. He realizes it's a good world - if he holds his own. It's up to him to protect himself, because nature seems to have surrounded him with enemies.

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FOR SAFER DRIVING ... Our suggestion to all Drivers --IT HAS TO BE DONE - AND SPEEDILY --

Trucks hauling a Mobile Home and/or trucks hauling five to seven new cars must be removed from two-lane state highways. The mobile - home hauling trucks take up more than their share of the road! Cars following, or cars approaching them, find it most difficult to pass. Both trucks annoy all drivers. First, they are irritated, aggravated, then angry. And some drivers may try to pass. The whole set-up is too dangerous. - ALSO: they charge railroad freight rates in transporting the mobile homes and new cars. Take them from the two-lane highways and ship by railroad. It has to be ordered - and speedily ... for safety's sake.

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CHEAP STUNTS

Ho-hum.

A Massachusetts woman is suing a motion picture company for filming a nude scene in Quincy, Mass. cemetery. The plaintiff in the legal proceedings claims that the movie-makers desecrated the hallowed ground wherein her husband is buried.

We hope that the woman wins her case. We will not, however, mention the names of the actress, the producer, or the title of the film. We have been in the newspaper business long enough to suspect that the whole cheap stunt - even up to and including the law suit itself - may have been "pulled off" for the sake of publicity in the first place.

A part of the action was faked, since, it turns out, the "nude" was not really nude. The flick company had the "star" wear a flesh colored body stocking during the shooting of the challenged film sequences. Hence there was no reason for the offensive scene to have been shot in a real cemetery. A facsimile studio lot graveyard would have done just as well. Why use sacred ground - unless as a contrived attempt to "crash" the news columns by deliberately doing something which would be offensive to most people?

We see nothing wrong with motion picture firms - or any commercial enterprise - using unusual events for the sake of gaining public (and newspaper) attention. Our own pages are paid for by advertising copy sponsored by our free enterprise system's businesses, some of it quite clever. And our news columns frequently carry stories which were planned, in advance, to gain favorable attention by the press. But there is a line - not always easily defined - between legitimate publicity and crass exploitation. It is our opinion that the "nude in the cemetery" incident crossed that line.

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Sam Harbin says: "Don't keep telling the lady you are unworthy of her. Let it be a complete surprise."

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Ben Franklin said it: "Since thou art not sure of a minute, throw not away an hour."

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J. E. Harper says: "It's easy to laugh at pilltakers when you're perfectly healthy."

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R. E. Heartlein says: "The man who keeps his chin up at all times is quite likely to run into a low clothesline."

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ONE THING RUSSIA FEARS

While most of us in America find it hard to understand our continual strained relations with Russian leaders, it was interesting to note that the NATO Ministerial Council has just reaffirmed its willingness to discuss with the Kremlin and its Warsaw Pact satellites a mutual and balanced reduction of forces. The offer was originally made by the NATO leaders at a meeting last year. The Communist powers never bothered even to reply and proceeded instead to strengthen and consolidate their military positions, apparently expecting the North Atlantic allies to yield to internal pressures and plunge into "slimming" their defenses even further without any need for reciprocity on the part of their eastern opponents.

The Weekly Review reports, at present, the Warsaw Pact countries have 65 battle- ready divisions deployed in central and northern Europe against the West's equally high- trained and prepared 22 divisions, to which one could add perhaps five potentially available French divisions.

Expressed in numbers, considering the difference in the size of the formations, the Warsaw Pact armies in this particular area comprise roughly 925,000 men and the NATO strength an estimated 600,000.

The operational strength of the Communist powers is further enhanced by the fact that they are supported by large and well trained militia troops, which may be unreliable for fighting purposes but extremely useful as auxiliaries.

The logistically heavily burdened western forces can lean on no comparable aid.

Moreover, Russia and her associates keep their reservists in far more intense and systematic training than the western allies, according to the Weekly Review. This enables them to mobilize and raise the numerical strength of their armies in no time from the rear.

In terms of armor, the Communist side has in the same area, 12,500 tanks and armored vehicles as compared with the West's 5,250.

As far as the tactical air forces on this particular front are concerned, the Warsaw Pact forces dispose of 260 light bombers, and NATO 50; and some 1,300 aircraft to support ground fighting to the West's roughly 1,200. The Communists have about 2,000 fighter- interceptor aircraft; the West some 450. With 400 reconnaissance aircraft the western side is better off than the enemy with its 250.

The one thing Russia fears is America's nuclear superiority. That is why she is anxious for limitation of nuclear armaments and nuclear experiments, so that she can take advantage of her conventional superiority.

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MORE TROOP WITHDRAWAL

If you viewed the recent telecast by President Nixon on his stated plans to end the Vietnam war as we did, there is no question that he is trying to reduce the American forces and build up the South Vietnam forces so they can secure their own country's freedom.

Mr. Nixon is plainly not optimistic about a negotiated settlement soon and most Americans can understand this reasoning since the Paris peace talks have been a farce.

But increasing reports from Vietnam spell out the fact that, despite the present gloomy view, the Communist leaders in Hanoi are coming to realize that time is not on its side. Their Viet Cong forces have been shattered so that much of South Vietnam's rice farming area is now free from VC dominating and destroying influence. So far this year, the North Vietnamese army has turned to guerrilla warfare which indicates their losses have been heavy.

This is not the time to listen to those who would cut- and - run and we are closer to an honorable peace in Vietnam than at any time since this strange war drew heavily on our military assistance.

As Mr. Nixon said in announcing the next withdrawal of 50,000 more U.S. troops "...we warn the leaders in Hanoi that if infiltration and the level of enemy activity increase while we are reducing our forces, they also will be running a risk."

So now we wait and see what develops.

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Definition of sleep:
(1) if you do it at night it means you're tired.
(2) if you do it in the daytime, it means you're fired.

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IMAGE-MAKING AT STATE

The Department of State is displaying persistence in the face of difficult odds by inviting the nation's editors and broadcasters to another of its annual Foreign Policy Conferences on Thursday, Jan. 15. The most recent of these get-togethers -- last March 26-27 -- was thrown into an uproar when various journalists took umbrage at what they considered a lack of hard information offered at the sessions.

One editor stood up during a briefing to complain that what he had heard on a "background only" basis hadn't justified the cost of his trip. In his case, that was a 60-cent taxi fare from his office at the National Press Building to the State Department auditorium in Foggy Bottom.

Actually the March briefing was premature. The Nixon administration had been in office just two months and the new team at State was still trying to figure out what the U. S. foreign policy might be. Secretary of State William P. Rogers subsequently improved his image, although there are still observers who believe most policy is made by Dr. Henry A. Kissinger's "little State Department" in the White House basement.

This time the conference will be limited to one day, instead of the normal two-day program. Perhaps the Nixon administration has only half as much foreign policy to explain, compared with past administrations. Or it could be that the State Department has learned that while it is permissible to strain a reporter's credulity its is inexcusable to try his patience.

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Parson Jim Hackney says: "Here's one fact that should help to fill church pews -- church pews never skid nor hit telephone poles."

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BETTER JOBS FOR BLACKS

When asked why his local had no Negro members, a construction union official told the U. S. Civil Rights Commission in 1961 that "Nigras are all afraid of electricity." Such beliefs may prove the most formidable barrier to implementation of the Philadelphia Plan for increasing minority - group membership in the building trades and of similar equal employment opportunity programs.

The Philadelphia Plan -- saved by the White House on Dec. 22 from an early death at the hands of Congress -- sets "goals" for the numbers of nonwhite workers to be hired on construction projects financed by federal funds. Labor officials contend that the plan amounts to "union - busting" and that racial hiring quotas are expressly forbidden by Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

The Nixon administration, of course, takes a different view. Secretary of Labor George P. Shultz said on Sept. 23 that a "quota is a system which keeps people out," whereas "What we are seeking are objectives to get people in." A White House statement of Dec. 19 declared that "The civil rights policy to which this administration is comitted is one of demonstrable deeds -- one of the things that counts most is earning power." The administration reportedly is preparing to move beyond the Philadelphia Plan to attack discriminatory hiring practices in states which receive large amounts of federal assistance.

But the simple act of hiring black workers goes only part of the way toward ending inequities in employment opportunity. J. W. Lawrie has pointed out (PSYCHOLOGY TODAY, November 1969): "Skills training is not enough. There is a whole domain of acculturation that has to be programmed. It takes time and experience to learn the game of work: concepts of time, work values and breaking - out - of - the ghetto - ethic are all slowly and painfully learned." White workers, in general, are accustomed to taking the long view -- tomorrow ... next year ... when I retire -- while unemployed blacks tend to take each day as it comes. The misunderstandings that arise when these two conflicting outlooks clash will require time and patience to overcome.

Isn't It Always that Way with Peacemakers?

TOMORROW
JANUARY 15 - THURSDAY
ARBOR DAY. Jan. 15. Jordan.
FURNITURE MANUFACTURERS SHOW. Jan. 15-20. Paris, France.
SEIJIM NO HI or ADULTHOOD DAY. Jan. 15. Japan.

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Paper Clam Shells?

At this writing the leading nations have agreed to the creation of $9.5 billion in Special Drawing Rights over the next three years. The SDR's are a fiduciary reserve asset, intended to stand alongside a nation's gold holdings as part of the reserves it depends on for settling its international deficits and supporting its currency. It is because of this intention that the SDR's have become known as "paper gold."

There is no reason, in principle, why this form of asset should not be a satisfactory substitute for gold in international monetary reserves. But then there is no reason, in principle, why clam shells could not serve the same purpose. All that is needed is that the major trading nations genuinely regard them as an acceptable reserve asset, and behave accordingly.

However, these are not questions to be answered by abstract reasoning. We are rather sure that clam shells would not actually work as a substitute for gold in monetary reserves, even if there were a solemn international agreement saying they should. It seems likely that, sooner or later, someone would hold up his hand and say: "But clam shells AREN'T the equivalent of gold -- no matter what the agreement says."

We are not sure at this point -- and only time will tell -- whether the SDR's will turn out to be paper gold, or only paper clam shells. We make no predication but we are surprised by the tendency to proclaim the SDR plan a great success before it has even been initiated.

There is no denying that the problem the SDR's are intended to solve is a genuine problem -- at least under the world's present monetary arrangements. There is a shortage of gold reserves in the only sense that is important. The nations consider their gold reserves inadequate. In their efforts to increase them -- which, as things stand, one nation can do only at the expense of another -- they threaten to restrict the growth of international trade and investment.

As yet this undesirable kind of competitive action hasn't gone very far. But that is mainly because the U.S. dollar has served as a substitute for gold, albeit a not wholly satisfactory one. This leads to another set of undesirable consequences.

The flow of dollars into foreign official reserves (and into foreign private holdings) is the same as the process described from another viewpoint as "the deficit in the U.S. balance of payments." The other nations with whom we do business can always hold back some of the dollars they receive. If they are sufficiently determined, there is not much we can do to stop them.

Strangely, however, the U.S. is made to feel guilty about its payments deficit. Our "adverse balance of payments" is widely regarded as evidence of misconduct, or at least bad judgment, on the part of the U.S. The accusation comes most commonly from the very countries which have been holding on to dollars for their own purposes, and thus producing our payments deficit.

The strangest thing of all is that the U.S. itself accepts that kind of appraisal. As a desperate measure we impose restrictions on the investments abroad of our own citizens. This is supposed to reduce our payments deficit, although it is hard to see how it could do that if foreigners want to increase their dollar holdings badly enough.

Whether or not this type of U.S. reaction makes sense, it is clear that the use of dollars as a substitute for gold in the rest of the world has in practice led to some bad results. It would be better if some other workable method could be found for supplementing existing reserves. For that reason we hope that the SDR plan will be a success.

The real question is whether the nations, when they have added SDR's to their reserves, will modify their behavior in the same way they would if they added an equal mount of gold. Will their appetite for gold be satisfied by this paper substitute, and will they accordingly abjure the practices which threaten restrictions on international business? It is a large hope but it is in this way that the success of the SDR program will be measured.

In particular we are curious whether introduction of the SDR's will eventually permit, or encourage, the U.S. to abandon its controls on foreign investment. It is hard to answer that question since the control program seems to have been futile even under present circumstances.

In part, the success of the SDR's will depend on the exercise of forbearance in their creation. The real objection to clam shells as a reserve asset is that you can rake up umlimited amounts on any seashore. And if SDR's are manufactured too freely they too will lose their acceptability. For this reason it is perhaps fortunate that other nations have been less enthusiastic about the idea than the U.S.

It is not to be imagined that provision of a new reserve asset can, even on the most optimistic assumptions, solve all international monetary problems. Where the real purchasing power of a currency is badly out of line with the official exchange rates, no addition to reserves will solve that problem.

The SDR'S may be a useful interim device for resolving some of the present difficulties of the free world's monetary system. We suspect that the ultimate solution to the whole range of international monetary problems lies elsewhere.

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Three women, with their children, visited a psychiatrist. The headshrinker, taking them on as a group said to the first "You eat too much. It even shows in the naming of your child, Candy."

"You," he said to the second, "think only of money. You even named your child Penny."

The third one rose, highly indignant and said, "I'm leaving. Come along Peter."

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While interviewing an applicant for relief, a social worker, a bit shocked, asked the woman: "Don't any of your nine children have the same father?"

The woman asnwered, "Yes'm, I believe the twins have."

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ALWAYS SANDWICHES

"Your Honor," said the irate wife to the court, "this no-good husband of mine is always drinking!"

"Yes, sir, Judge," replied the husband, "I do drink some, but Your Honor, this woman doesn't treat me right. Why, I pawned the kitchen stove to git some money and she didn't miss that cookin' stove for two weeks!"

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About to marry a girl in her early 20s, the spry octogenarian went to a marriage counselor and asked how he might keep his prospective bride happy. Shaking his head, the counselor could only say: "I think you should take in a youthful boarder."

Several months later, the old gent returned to the counselor and reported that his new wife was pregnant. "I see you took my advice about the boarder," said the counselor, chuckling.

"Yep," said the octogenarian, "and she's pregnant, too."

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"I'm awfully sorry, Miss," said the store clerk, "but this five - dollar bill is counterfeit."

"Damn it," she exclaimed, "I've been seduced!"

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The kindly old gentleman was visiting the home of his daughter. He entered the room of his two grandsons and found them busy studying at their desks. The first boy was reading a book on aviation.

"What do you want to be when you grow up?" asked the grandfather.

"A pilot, sir," said the boy.

"And what do you want to be when you grow up?" the old gentleman asked the second land.

The boy looked up from the latest issue of PLAYBOY. "Nothing, sir," he said wistfully, "just growed up."

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Our WISE GUIDE defines Queer as unfamiliar.

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Grandma sent her grandson a new shirt for his birthday. Unfortunately, it had a size 14 collar, and the boy had a size 16 neck.

He dutifully write her: "Dear Granny: Thanks heaps. I'd write more - but I'm all choked up."

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KEEP 'EM CLEAN: Soap and water, or turpentine, will remove black shoe polish stains. Use alcohol for stains from tan polish ... A cloth dipped in peroxide will remove grass stains from children's shoes -- and to clean thyyoungsters' dingy sneakers (or your own) dip a brush in a detergent and water solution, then in dry baking soda and scrub ... Water ring stains on a silk tie will disappear if rubbed gently with a silver coin or spoon.

Doc. Duncan Says

Gramp sez the food stamp plan widout price control means surrender to inflation.

H.L. Hunt Says

SEEKING TRUTH AND BEAUTY

The freedom handed down to us by the Founders and the patriots who have followed them provides uncountable benefits, both material and spiritual. Through the benefits of freedom created by Republic USA, unprecendented millions of its citizens no longer must grovel in ignorance, filth and poverty. Virtually every citizen now can find time to seek truth and beauty in freedom, if he so chooses.

All of us who love freedom and Republic USA must redouble our efforts to make clear the differences between our system, which delivers the goods and the freedom to choose and enjoy, and other systems of collectivism or anarchy, which deliver largely in false promises and slavery.

If those who seek to destroy would turn their talents and their time to constructive activities, how much more good they could do. Young people particularly are seeking truth and beauty. Our information and education institutions fail the, and us, when they stress destructive actions instead of constructive actions.

We do not find truth and beauty by attacking freedom and Republic USA. Our republic exemplifies the best of freedom yet created by the hand of man. It's benefits cannot be extended to more people by destroying freedom and turning our destiny over to crime, communism, inflation and violence.

It is good that our citizens, particularly our young people, are seeking truth and beauty as never before. If we are wise we will convince the young, the apathetic and the militant that truth and beauty are sought and found through freedom, not through destruction and violence. HLH

Hal Boyle

NEW YORK (AP) — I don't know what your opinion of the 1970's is, but so far I'm not impressed.

Everybody got so worn out by the 1960's, that perhaps we all expected too much of the decade to follow it, which was heralded by its cheerleaders in glowing terms ordinarily employed by real estate developers trying to palm off a swamp.

Yes, sir, the 1970's got a tremendous advance build up. Didn't you get the hopeful feeling that it would signal the dawn of a better life and a better world?

Well, anyway I did. I thought 1970 would arrive in a blare of bugles and the waving of many banners, the dramatic striking off of age-old human chains and fetters, the lifting up of human hearts and hopes, flight after flight of bluebirds, and perhaps even the lowering of a state sales tax here and there.

I don't know how it is in your area, but after the first 15 days of the new decade, I can't see that it has made any striking major improvements on the street where I live. In fact, if it were not for the date on the calendar, it would be easy to believ ze were still back in the glum 1960's.

Life remains pretty much the mixture as before.

For example:

No flights of bluebirds have flown over my house. I did see a droop-feathered, shivering robin, his bosom a withered orange. But this early bird was getting no worms; they were asleep deep in earthen beds.

Weren't we to get June in January during the 1970's? The expectation was a fraud. The view from my window shows the same old vista of ice, snow and pavement slush. The trees stand budless and bare.

War still wanders the world with bloody sword and flaming torch. The dove of peace remains a flying fugitive, and the olive branch in its beak droops ever more limply.

Wasn't inflation to be curbed? Where I buy my groceries the price of eggs is still going up. So, I hear, is the price of practically everything else — from free love to college educations.

Way back at the start of the 1960's weren't scientists predicting an early end to the problems of cancer and the common cold? But here it is 1970 already and millions of people are still dying of the one and sniffling from the other.

Maybe I'm being too critical of the 1970's. What I'm going to do is to give them another couple of weeks to prove themselves. Then, if things don't get a darned sight better, I'm going to start looking forward to the 1980's. Surely mankind can't dwell in darkness and despair forever.

Washington Merry - Go - Round

By Jack Anderson

WASHINGTON--Frightening news for the eight million users of "The Pill" is contained in testimony that three medical men have prepared for Senate investigators.

Their statements, submitted to Wisconsin Senator Gaylord Nelson's investigators, warn that birth-control pills can cause blood clots, prolonged arthritis, and cancer of the breast and cervix.

Dr. Thelma Dunn of the National Cancer Institute, for instance, has developed evidence that Enovid in a daily liquid diet "regularly produces cancer of the cervix in mice" when fed over a "very long period."

Dr. Roy Hertz, the former reproduction research chief at the famed National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, describes in his statement how Neonovum and Ethynerone produced "breast tumors... in animals."

As a result, both pills have been withdrawn even from research use. Yet Hertz warned that "the ostrogenic component of these two mixtures is identical with that contained in most of the preparations currently marketed, and the progestational companent is a close relative of the progestagens in the mixtures still widely sold."

The tests have filled "informed observers with great apprehension and concern," said Hertz.

Their testimony will be delivered at hearings, which Senator Nelson is conducting on the side effects of oral contraceptives. Although his office refused to release advance copies of the testimony, this column was able to get them by other means.

--FDA AND AMA FAULTED--

The forthcoming testimony will reveal serious failures by the Food and Drug Administration to force adequate testing of birth-control pills. It will also accuse the American Medical Association of publishing a questionable article lauding "The Pill" to win favor with a big advertiser.

Dr. Hertz, in his advance text, reports that women starting on the pill frequently complain of increased fullness and sensitivity of the breasts." This indicates "some type of tissue reaction is taking place," and he urges "detailed scrutiny."

Hertz said the lack of real data about the pill and possible cancer is like the "situation with respect to the pill's effect on 'blood clots' just a few years ago." Subsequently, blood clots have been acknowledged as a genuine danger in oral contraceptives. In fact, he said the inadequate knowledge about pills and cancer can be compared with what was known about lung cancer and cigarettes before statistics established their relationship.

"The estrogen-progestagen combinations do produce tumors in dogs and mice," said Hertz. These substances are found in most oral contraceptives.

Hertz declared: "I can visualize only a rare circumstance indeed in which I would recommend estrogen-progestagen mixtures for contraceptive use."

--PILL-MAKER--

Another statement, obtained by this column, was prepared for the Senate investigators by Dr. Edmond Kassouf of Cranford, N.J. As far back as 1961, he warned G. D. Searle Co. about a woman who got phlebitis while taking birth control pills. The company told him there was "no evidence to implicate the pill," but Kassouf has been investigating ever since.

In his statements, Kassouf quoted a Sept. 30, 1968, article in the Journal of the American Medical Association by Dr. Victor Drill and David Calhoun of the G.D. Searle Co. They declared "that U.S. data did not reveal a clotting or death risk," a conclusion now disputed by the Food and Drug Administration.

In the year before, other documents show, Searle had placed 77 pages of advertisements in the Journal.

Kassouf charged that literature put out by Searle, Ortho- Pharmaceutical and Parke-Davis for women using the pill continue to "mislead and misinform."

He described a long history of Food and Drug Administration vacillation on the pill and said that it is now generally agreed that "major pill clotting reactions" occur in one out of every 2,000 pill users each year."

Dr. Giles Bole, Jr., associate professor of internal medicine at the University of Michigan Medical School, gave Senate investigators a report on his studies of arthritis and the pill. He warned, however, that his findings are preliminary.

--ARTHRITIS INVOLVED--

He told of surveys taken at the University of Michigan arthritis clinic. In the spring of 1967 a 24-year-old housewife on the pill reported mild rheumatic complaints. She stopped taking the pill "and within six weeks all of her laboratory abnormalities had disappeared."

A variety of surveys on women from 15 to 45 generally bore out the results of the first woman's case. Dr. Bole said there was something of a dilemma on use of the pill because "we cannot ignore the overwhelming importance of population control as a major social and medical problem for our age."

In addition, natural pregnancy can sometime worsen arthritic diseases. Nevertheless, he said a great deal of individual thought should be given before using "oral contraceptives in patients with early or established rheumatic disease."

A fourth document, disputing the others, was prepared by Dr. Robert W. Kistner of the Harvard Medical School. He stated: "Only one decision stands: the pill is safe. It is safer than pregnancy but not as safe as continence."

Kistner said that "for every pill-induced death in Britain, there are at least 1,500 cigarette-induced deaths.

"There is no statistically valid basis for linking the pill to the various forms of cancer that occur in the female," said Kistner.

The professional evidence which the Senate hearings will produce, however, are weighted three to one against The Pill.

Ann Landers

Young, Single Male Rents From Rich, Older Widow

Dear Ann Landers: If you can get me out of this, you are a magician. I know it's my own fault, so please don't give me Hail Columbia. Just help me.

I'm a quiet person who minds her own business and stays to herself, but I let the woman next door get too friendly. I am so sick of her big mouth I could scream. I used to wonder how women could visit during the day and still get their housework done. Now I know the answer. These slobs don't do any housework, which is why they have so much time to pester those of us who do.

What really makes me furious is the way she brings all her cooking and baking mistakes over here for us to eat. I'm fed up with her burned stews and overseasoned spaghetti. Yesterday it was a pudding that didn't jell. She said, "Here's your desert for tonight. I must have left something out but it tastes fine. Drink it."

Please, Ann, tell me how to cool off this friendship without slamming the door in her face. She has made me so nervious I yell at my children and am nasty to my husband. Help! -- Trapped In My Own Home

Dear Trapped: Go to your doctor and let him tell you you need more rest. Inform your friend of the doctor's orders. Tell her you must lie down at frequent intervals that she can't come over uninvited anymore. Say, "I'll call you when I'm feeling better." And when you are feeling better and think perhaps you ought to give her a call, "just to be nice," take out this column and read it again.

Dear Ann Landers: I was interested in the study you cited recently which showed an unusually high achievement level of children born to young mothers and old fathers. (Especially male children.)

I am currently involved in another study which explains this facinating "phenomenon." The reason the child is precocious and tends to be an achiever is because the mother feels closer to the child than to her husband. Consequently, she spends an inordinate amount of time with him.

The child, as a result of this close relationship, many be an achiever, but he pays for his achievement in other ways. He is usually emotionally immature and hung-up on his mother. This makes him a poor candidate for marriage. Better Mom should have married someone in her own group and not have the kid turn out to be a superstar. Please keep plugging for everything in its own season. -- Turn Turn Turn

Dear Turn: Your assumption that the young mother spends an inordinate amount of time with her son because he is closer to her age than the old gaffer she married may or may not be true. Some of these young moms spend an inordinate amount of time with young lovers. Each case must be judged separately.

Dear Ann Landers: Our geometry teacher is groovy, great looking and not married. He used to live in an apartment but he couldn't afford it any more and moved into the beautiful, large home of an older woman who is very rich. She is a widow. Some people say he is renting a room but nobody ever saw rent receipts.

We realize high school teachers in Virginia are underpaid but what do you think about this? -- Head Of What's What

Dear Head: Not that it's really your business, but maybe your geometry teacher has discovered a new angle.

Is alcoholism a disease? How can the alcoholic be treated? Is there a cure?

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Metcalf

Metcalf's Celebrate 50th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Metcalf celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on Dec. 28 in their home. They have lived in Canalou 34 years.

The Metcalfs were married Dec. 31, 1919, in Arkansas. They are parents of Delmo Williams and Henry Metcalf, both of St. Louis, Mrs. A. C. Emerson of Santa Ana, Calif.; Mrs. Jack Cayson of Security, Colo.; and Mrs. Howard Lasters of Canalou.

Those who gathered to honor Mr. and Mrs. Metcalf were: Mrs. W. O. Burnett, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Lumsden, Mrs. C. L. Lasters, Price Baker, Mrs. Lestor Carroll, Mrs. Howard Lastors and Martha;

Mrs. Belinda and Carol Breedlove, Kerry, Sandy and Darla Lasters, Mrs. Wm. Harris, Mrs. Dessie Shepard and Emily, Mrs. Nelson Gruen, Bro. Fred Boren and wife, Mrs. Fred Lasters, Mrs. Lala McCann, Mrs. Gene Summers and Mrs. Shot Fraley;

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sexton, Mr. and Mrs. Delmo Williams and Danny, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Thoma and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith.

Master Cathey Celebrates 6th

Howard George Cathey II, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Cathey 214 Kramer, celebrated his sixth birthday Saturday with the following attending;

Peter Malone, Jimmy Cannon, Heidi Coon, Patricia Bowman, Brian Wilson, Kelly Wilson, Vincent DuPont, Phillip DuPont, Steven Green, Mark Moore, Frank Parrish, Rondall Lee Cathey, Tracy Jeffords, Gary Beaver, Jill Meyer, Jimmy Cox, Stanley Woods, Mary Dement, Craig Lopp.

Games, and refreshments of cupcakes and punch, entertained the children.

Reconciliation Dinner Planned For Friday

Plans are nearly completed for the Methodist Reconciliation Dinner.

The dinner will be held Friday at 6:30 p.m. in Bertrand United. Although 123 attended last year, plans are made to serve 150 this Friday. Meat, bread and drink are being provided by the churches. Guests should bring a vegetable, salad or dessert.

The is proclaimed a Christian "love-in" by the churches participating. Those are Dogwood, Bridges, Sikeston First and Wesley, Betrand, Wyatt, Charleston, East Prairie, Smith's Chapel, Morehouse and Blodgett.

Dr. Seth Edwards of SIU will be guest speaker.

Stars' Colors

Colors are indications of star temperatures and also tell which of the elements make up the stars. As a rule, the blue and the white stars are the hottest, while the red ones are the cooler stars.

Women's Page

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A TREE GROWS IN BROOKLYN ... A SOUTHERN TREE

NEW YORK (AP) - A magnolia tree grows in Brooklyn and neighborhood children are raising money to make sure it won't be destroyed by an urban renewal program.

The four - story - tall, 85 - year - old magnolia grandiflora, which normally flourishes in the South, has been protected from wintry winds by a brownstone apartment building in the Bedford - Stuyvesant section.

The community is selling raffle tickets - shaped like magnolia leaves - for a fund to raise $5,000 to save the building from the wrecker's ball. The horticulture Society of New York is pitching in by paying neighborhood kids one cent for each seed of the hearty tree they bring in.

The society says the tree, an evergreen, is the largest and oldest of its kind north of baltimore. In the summer it produces large, white fragrant blossoms.

Hospital Notes

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY: Released:

James Edsall, Matthews
Jesse Bell, Charleston
Charles Boyd, New Madrid
Elizabeth Bartlett, Sikeston
Mrs. Juanita Atwell & Baby Girl, Matthews
Joseph Baker, Sikeston
Green Greer, Sikeston
Paul Manker, Sikeston
Charles Musgraves, Parma
Elise Kemp, Charleston
Ada Walker, New Madrid
Mary Watson, East Prairie
Ethel Wilson, East Prairie
Virginia Milton, Canalou
Viola McQueen, Dexter
Frankie Summers, Sikeston
Ada Broughton, New Madrid

DEXTER MEMORIAL: Admitted:

Lilly Collier, Dexter;
Sandra Minton, St. Charles, Ill.;
Virdie Vinson, Dexter;
Ester Stevens, Bloomfield;
William Malin, Patton;

Released:

Bertha Pratt, Dexter;
Otto Elder, Dexter;
Edna Ridenour, Puxico;
Lula Thrower, Dexter;
Terry Owens, St. Louis;
John Miller, Bernie;
Elva Tanner, Dexter.

... letting him sleep in on Sunday morning.

New Arrivals

RAINWATER - Son to Mr and Mrs. Thomas Rainwater, Route 2, Lucy Lee Hospital, Poplar Bluff, Dec. 23. Name, Brian Thomas. Weight, 9 pounds, 15 ounces. First child. Mrs. Rainwater is the former Miss Kathy Eskew, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Eskew of Dexter. Mr. Rainwater is a college student, and is the son of Mrs. Edward Lowes.

LIGGETT - Son to Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Liggett, 435 College, Southeast Missouri Hospital, 10:14 p.m. Monday. Name, Darrell Wayne. Weight 7 pounds 9 ounces. First child. Mrs. Liggett is the former Miss Doris Barnes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Barnes of Bell City. Mr. Liggett is employed by Mid-West Diesel, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Liggett of Bell City.

BOMAR - Son to Mr. and Mrs. Gary Bomar to Bernie. Southeast Missouri Hospital, 10:17 p.m. Saturday. Name, Anthony Scott. Weight 5 pounds 11 ounces. First child. Mrs. Bomar is the former Miss Jeanine Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Johnson of Dexter. Mr. Johnson is employed by Johnson Refrigeration at Dexter and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Bomar of Bernie.

WILLIAMS - Son to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Williams of Oran. Southeast Missouri Hospital, 1:03 a.m. Saturday. Name, Donald Lee. Weight 6 pounds 14½ ounces. First child. Mrs. Williams is the former Miss Beneda Shoemaker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Shoemaker of Elmo. Mr. Williams is a mechanic and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dovie Williams of Oran.

RAFFETY - Son to Mr. and Mrs. Elott Raffety of Wyatt, 3:27 p.m. Monday. Name, Thomas Daly. Weight 8 pounds 2 ounces. Third child, third son. Mrs. Rafferty is the former Miss Karen Ann Collins, daughter of Mrs. John A. Collins of Indianapolis, Ind. Mr. Rafferty is self-employed and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Hunter Raffety of Wyatt.

CAYTON - Daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Cayton of Point Pleasant. Southeast Missouri Hospital, 8:07 a.m., Thursday. Name, Sandy Marie. Weight 5 pounds 13 ounces. Second child second daughter, Mrs. Cayton is the former Miss Donna Tatum daughter of Charles Tatum of Point Pleasant and Mrs. Vera Stafford of Point Pleasant. Mr. Cayton is employed at Patton, Tulley Transportation Co., and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cayton of Point Pleasant.

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Cook's Column

CELESTIAL PEACHES

1 can (29 oz.) peach halves
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3/4 cup firmly packed brown sugar
1 tsp. lemon juice
1/4 cup brandy
whipped cream
nutmeg

DRAIN peaches, reserving 1/3 cup syrup. MELT margarine and sugar in large saucepan. STIR in peach syrup and lemon juice; bring to boil. ADD peaches and simmer slowly 10 minutes; baste frequently. ADD brandy; continue to simmer 5 minutes. Serve peaches warm garnished with whipped cream and dash of nutmeg. (6 servings)

NOTE: Flavor is also pleasing when brandy is substituted with 1/4 cup white corn syrup plus 1 Tablespoon brandy or rum flavoring.

Oh, really!

WASHINGTON (AP) — One out of five persons answering a survey on violence say there are situations they can imagine in which they would approve of a husband slapping a wife's face.

While 20 per cent answered yes to this question, 22 per cent said they could imagine situations in which they would approve of a wife slapping a husband's face.

But when it comes to shooting your mate, the percentage drops off drastically. Only 3 per cent said they would approve of a husband shooting his wife, and 4 per cent could imagine some justification for a wife shooting her husband.

The survey by Louis Harris Associates, sampling 1,176 adults, was taken for a task force of the National Commission on the Causes and Prevention of Violence.

The study also said "law enforcement officials receive approval from a majority of adults for the use of violence only when it is necessary to protect their lives or to carry out their legal responsibilities."

In the U.S. House of Representatives, Democrats occupy the east side of the chamber, on the speaker's right: Republicans sit across the main aisle on the speaker's left.

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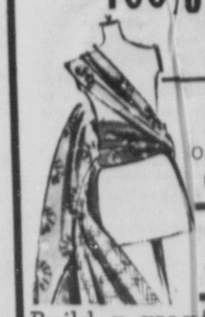

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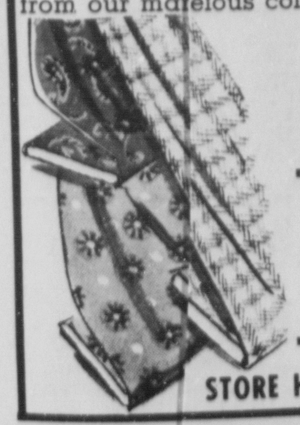

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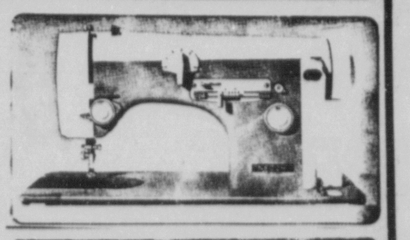

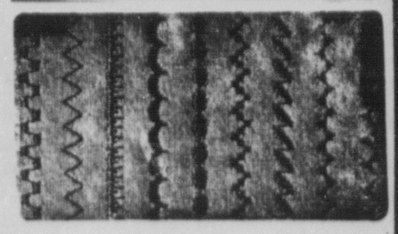

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!
BEADY EYES ARE WATCHING YOU

A squirrel eating grain at a backyard bird feeder demonstrates some of the practical lessons of life in this competitive world.

As you watch the squirrel, you realize that he also is watching you, even though you are peering through a slit between the curtains in the house. Just move the curtain and he is likely to jump.

While he has one eye on you, the squirrel also will be first to spy the neighborhood cat quietly moving into the yard from behind the garage, or the dogs that delight in chasing him up a tree. At the same time, he is wary of the bluejays that gather in the treetops to scold him.

All the time, the squirrel keeps eating, the grains of corn or wheat held in his front paws while he nibbles away. But not for one moment does he relax his guard. He realizes it's a good world - if he holds his own. It's up to him to protect himself, because nature seems to have surrounded him with enemies.

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FOR SAFER DRIVING ... Our suggestion to all Drivers --IT HAS TO BE DONE - AND SPEEDILY --

Trucks hauling a Mobile Home and/or trucks hauling five to seven new cars must be removed from two-lane state highways. The mobile - home hauling trucks take up more than their share of the road! Cars following, or cars approaching them, find it most difficult to pass. Both trucks annoy all drivers. First, they are irritated, aggravated, then angry. And some drivers may try to pass. The whole set-up is too dangerous. - ALSO: they charge railroad freight rates in transporting the mobile homes and new cars. Take them from the two-lane highways and ship by railroad. It has to be ordered - and speedily ... for safety's sake.

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CHEAP STUNTS

Ho-hum.

A Massachusetts woman is suing a motion picture company for filming a nude scene in Quincy, Mass. cemetery. The plaintiff in the legal proceedings claims that the movie-makers desecrated the hallowed ground wherein her husband is buried.

We hope that the woman wins her case. We will not, however, mention the names of the actress, the producer, or the title of the film. We have been in the newspaper business long enough to suspect that the whole cheap stunt - even up to and including the law suit itself - may have been "pulled off" for the sake of publicity in the first place.

A part of the action was faked, since, it turns out, the "nude" was not really nude. The flick company had the "star" wear a flesh colored body stocking during the shooting of the challenged film sequences. Hence there was no reason for the offensive scene to have been shot in a real cemetery. A facsimile studio lot graveyard would have done just as well. Why use sacred ground - unless as a contrived attempt to "crash" the news columns by deliberately doing something which would be offensive to most people?

We see nothing wrong with motion picture firms - or any commercial enterprise - using unusual events for the sake of gaining public (and newspaper) attention. Our own pages are paid for by advertising copy sponsored by our free enterprise system's businesses, some of it quite clever. And our news columns frequently carry stories which were planned, in advance, to gain favorable attention by the press. But there is a line - not always easily defined - between legitimate publicity and crass exploitation. It is our opinion that the "nude in the cemetery" incident crossed that line.

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Sam Harbin says: "Don't keep telling the lady you are unworthy of her. Let it be a complete surprise."

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Ben Franklin said it: "Since thou art not sure of a minute, throw not away an hour."

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J. E. Harper says: "It's easy to laugh at pilltakers when you're perfectly healthy."

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R. E. Heartlein says: "The man who keeps his chin up at all times is quite likely to run into a low clothesline."

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ONE THING RUSSIA FEARS

While most of us in America find it hard to understand our continual strained relations with Russian leaders, it was interesting to note that the NATO Ministerial Council has just reaffirmed its willingness to discuss with the Kremlin and its Warsaw Pact satellites a mutual and balanced reduction of forces. The offer was originally made by the NATO leaders at a meeting last year. The Communist powers never bothered even to reply and proceeded instead to strengthen and consolidate their military positions, apparently expecting the North Atlantic allies to yield to internal pressures and plunge into "slimming" their defenses even further without any need for reciprocity on the part of their eastern opponents.

The Weekly Review reports, at present, the Warsaw Pact countries have 65 battle- ready divisions deployed in central and northern Europe against the West's equally high- trained and prepared 22 divisions, to which one could add perhaps five potentially available French divisions.

Expressed in numbers, considering the difference in the size of the formations, the Warsaw Pact armies in this particular area comprise roughly 925,000 men and the NATO strength an estimated 600,000.

The operational strength of the Communist powers is further enhanced by the fact that they are supported by large and well trained militia troops, which may be unreliable for fighting purposes but extremely useful as auxiliaries.

The logistically heavily burdened western forces can lean on no comparable aid.

Moreover, Russia and her associates keep their reservists in far more intense and systematic training than the western allies, according to the Weekly Review. This enables them to mobilize and raise the numerical strength of their armies in no time from the rear.

In terms of armor, the Communist side has in the same area, 12,500 tanks and armored vehicles as compared with the West's 5,250.

As far as the tactical air forces on this particular front are concerned, the Warsaw Pact forces dispose of 260 light bombers, and NATO 50; and some 1,300 aircraft to support ground fighting to the West's roughly 1,200. The Communists have about 2,000 fighter- interceptor aircraft; the West some 450. With 400 reconnaissance aircraft the western side is better off than the enemy with its 250.

The one thing Russia fears is America's nuclear superiority. That is why she is anxious for limitation of nuclear armaments and nuclear experiments, so that she can take advantage of her conventional superiority.

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MORE TROOP WITHDRAWAL

If you viewed the recent telecast by President Nixon on his stated plans to end the Vietnam war as we did, there is no question that he is trying to reduce the American forces and build up the South Vietnam forces so they can secure their own country's freedom.

Mr. Nixon is plainly not optimistic about a negotiated settlement soon and most Americans can understand this reasoning since the Paris peace talks have been a farce.

But increasing reports from Vietnam spell out the fact that, despite the present gloomy view, the Communist leaders in Hanoi are coming to realize that time is not on its side. Their Viet Cong forces have been shattered so that much of South Vietnam's rice farming area is now free from VC dominating and destroying influence. So far this year, the North Vietnamese army has turned tc guerrilla warfare which indicates their losses have been heavy.

This is not the time to listen to those who would cut- and - run and we are closer to an honorable peace in Vietnam than at any time since this strange war drew heavily on our military assistance.

As Mr. Nixon said in announcing the next withdrawal of 50,000 more U.S. troops "...we warn the leaders in Hanoi that if infiltration and the level of enemy activity increase while we are reducing our forces, they also will be running a risk."

So now we wait and see what develops.

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Definition of sleep:
(1) if you do it at night it means you're tired.
(2) if you do it in the daytime, it means you're fired.

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IMAGE-MAKING AT STATE

The Department of State is displaying persistence in the face of difficult odds by inviting the nation's editors and broadcasters to another of its annual Foreign Policy Conferences on Thursday, Jan. 15. The most recent of these get-togethers -- last March 26-27 -- was thrown into an uproar when various journalists took umbrage at what they considered a lack of hard information offered at the sessions.

One editor stood up during a briefing to complain that what he had heard on a "background only" basis hadn't justified the cost of his trip. In his case, that was a 60-cent taxi fare from his office at the National Press Building to the State Department auditorium in Foggy Bottom.

Actually the March briefing was premature. The Nixon administration had been in office just two months and the new team at State was still trying to figure out what the U. S. foreign policy might be. Secretary of State William P. Rogers subsequently improved his image, although there are still observers who believe most policy is made by Dr. Henry A. Kissinger's "little State Department" in the White House basement.

This time the conference will be limited to one day, instead of the normal two-day program. Perhaps the Nixon administration has only half as much foreign policy to explain, compared with past administrations. Or it could be that the State Department has learned that while it is permissible to strain a reporter's credulity its is inexcusable to try his patience.

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Parson Jim Hackney says: "Here's one fact that should help to fill church pews -- church pews never skid nor hit telephone poles."

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BETTER JOBS FOR BLACKS

When asked why his local had no Negro members, a construction union official told the U. S. Civil Rights Commission in 1961 that "Nigras are all afraid of electricity." Such beliefs may prove the most formidable barrier to implementation of the Philadelphia Plan for increasing minority - group membership in the building trades and of similar equal employment opportunity programs.

The Philadelphia Plan – saved by the White House on Dec. 22 from an early death at the hands of Congress -- sets "goals" for the numbers of nonwhite workers to be hired on construction projects financed by federal funds. Labor officials contend that the plan amounts to "union - busting" and that racial hiring quotas are expressly forbidden by Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

The Nixon administration, of course, takes a different view. Secretary of Labor George P. Shultz said on Sept. 23 that a "quota is a system which keeps people out," whereas "What we are seeking are objectives to get people in." A White House statement of Dec. 19 declared that "The civil rights policy to which this administration is comitted is one of demonstrable deeds -- one of the things that counts most is earning power." The administration reportedly is preparing to move beyond the Philadelphia Plan to attack discriminatory hiring practices in states which receive large amounts of federal assistance.

But the simple act of hiring black workers goes only part of the way toward ending inequities in employment opportunity. J. W. Lawrie has pointed out (PSYCHOLOGY TODAY, November 1969): "Skills training is not enough. There is a whole domain of acculturation that has to be programmed. It takes time and experience to learn the game of work: concepts of time, work values and breaking - out - of - the ghetto - ethic are all slowly and painfully learned." White workers, in general, are accustomed to taking the long view – tomorrow ... next year ... when I retire – while unemployed blacks tend to take each day as it comes. The misunderstandings that arise when these two conflicting outlooks clash will require time and patience to overcome.

Isn't It Always that Way with Peacemakers?

TOMORROW

JANUARY 15 - THURSDAY

ARBOR DAY. Jan. 15. Jordan.

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Paper Clam Shells?

At this writing the leading nations have agreed to the creation of $9.5 billion in Special Drawing Rights over the next three years. The SDR's are a fiduciary reserve asset, intended to stand alongside a nation's gold holdings as part of the reserves it depends on for settling its international deficits and supporting its currency. It is because of this intention that the SDR's have become known as "paper gold."

There is no reason, in principle, why this form of asset should not be a satisfactory substitute for gold in international monetary reserves. But then there is no reason, in principle, why clam shells could not serve the same purpose. All that is needed is that the major trading nations genuinely regard them as an acceptable reserve asset, and behave accordingly.

However, these are not questions to be answered by abstract reasoning. We are rather sure that clam shells would not actually work as a substitute for gold in monetary reserves, even if there were a solemn international agreement saying they should. It seems likely that, sooner or later, someone would hold up his hand and say: "But clam shells AREN'T the equivalent of gold -- no matter what the agreement says."

We are not sure at this point -- and only time will tell -- whether the SDR's will turn out to be paper gold, or only paper clam shells. We make no predicition but we are surprised by the tendency to proclaim the SDR plan a great success before it has even been initiated.

There is no denying that the problem the SDR's are intended to solve is a genuine problem -- at least under the world's present monetary arrangements. There is a shortage of gold reserves in the only sense that is important. The nations consider their gold reserves inadequate. In their efforts to increase them -- which, as things stand, one nation can do only at the expense of another – they threaten to restrict the growth of international trade and investment.

As yet this undesirable kind of competitive action hasn't gone very far. But that is mainly because the U.S. dollar has served as a substitute for gold, albeit a not wholly satisfactory one. This leads to another set of undesirable consequences.

The flow of dollars into foreign official reserves (and into foreign private holdings) is the same as the process described from another viewpoint as "the deficit in the U.S. balance of payments." The other nations with whom we do business can always hold back some of the dollars they receive. If they are sufficiently determined, there is not much we can do to stop them.

Strangely, however, the U.S. is made to feel guilty about its payments deficit. Our "adverse balance of payments" is widely regarded as evidence of misconduct, or at least bad judgment, on the part of the U.S. The accusation comes most commonly from the very countries which have been holding on to dollars for their own purposes, and thus producing our payments deficit.

The strangest thing of all is that the U.S. itself accepts that kind of appraisal. As a desperate measure we impose restrictions on the investments abroad of our own citizens. This is supposed to reduce our payments deficit, although it is hard to see how it could do that if foreigners want to increase their dollar holdings badly enough.

Whether or not this type of U.S. reaction makes sense, it is clear that the use of dollars as a substitute for gold in the rest of the world has in practice led to some bad results. It would be better if some other workable method could be found for supplementing existing reserves. For that reason we hope that the SDR plan will be a success.

The real question is whether the nations, when they have added SDR's to their reserves, will modify their behavior in the same way they would if they added an equal mount of gold. Will their appetite for gold be satisfied by this paper substitute, and will they accordingly abjure the practices which threaten restrictions on international business? It is a large hope but it is in this way that the success of the SDR program will be measured.

In particular we are curious whether introduction of the SDR's will eventually permit, or encourage, the U.S. to abandon its controls on foreign investment. It is hard to answer that question since the control program seems to have been futile even under present circumstances.

In part, the success of the SDR's will depend on the exercise of forbearance in their creation. The real objection to clam shells as a reserve asset is that you can rake up umlimited amounts on any seashore. And if SDR's are manufactured too freely they too will lose their acceptability. For this reason it is perhaps fortunate that other nations have been less enthusiastic about the idea than the U.S.

It is not to be imagined that provision of a new reserve asset can, even on the most optimistic assumptions, solve all international monetary problems. Where the real purchasing power of a currency is badly out of line with the official exchange rates, no addition to reserves will solve that problem.

The SDR'S may be a useful interim device for moving some of the present difficulties of the free world's monetary system. We suspect that the ultimate solution to the whole range of international monetary problems lies elsewhere.

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Three women, with their children, visited a psychiatrist. The headshrinker, taking them on as a group said to the first "You eat too much. It even shows in the naming of your child, Candy."

"You," he said to the second, "think only of money. You even named your child Penny."

The third one rose, highly indignant and said, "I'm leaving. Come along Peter."

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While interviewing an applicant for relief, a social worker, a bit shocked, asked the woman: "Don't any of your nine children have the same father?"

The woman asnwered, "Yes'm, I believe the twins have."

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ALWAYS SANDWICHES

"Your Honor," said the irate wife to the court, "this no-good husband of mine is always drinking!"

"Yes, sir, Judge," replied the husband, "I do drink some, but Your Honor, this woman doesn't treat me right. Why, I pawned the kitchen stove to git some money and she didn't miss that cookin' stove for two weeks!"

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About to marry a girl in her early 20s, the spry octogenarian went to a marriage counselor and asked how he might keep his prospective bride happy. Shaking his head, the counselor could only say: "I think you should take in a youthful boarder."

Several months later, the old gent returned to the counselor and reported that his new wife was pregnant. "I see you took my advice about the boarder," said the counselor, chuckling.

"Yep," said the octogenarian, "and she's pregnant, too."

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"I'm awfully sorry, Miss," said the store clerk, "but this five - dollar bill is counterfeit."

"Damn it," she exclaimed, "I've been seduced!"

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The kindly old gentleman was visiting the home of his daughter. He entered the room of his two grandsons and found them busy studying at their desks. The first boy was reading a book on aviation.

"What do you want to be when you grow up?" asked the grandfather.

"A pilot, sir," said the boy.

"And what do you want to be when you grow up?" the old gentleman asked the second land.

The boy looked up from the latest issue of PLAYBOY. "Nothing, sir," he said wistfully, "just growed up."

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Our WISE GUIDE defines Queer as unfamiliar.

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Grandma sent her grandson a new shirt for his birthday. Unfortunately, it had a size 14 collar, and the boy had a size 16 neck.

He dutifully write her: "Dear Granny: Thanks heaps. I'd write more - but I'm all choked up."

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KEEP 'EM CLEAN: Soap and water, or turpentine, will remove black shoe polish stains. Use alcohol for stains from tan polish ... A cloth dipped in peroxide will remove grass stains from children's shoes -- and to clean thyyoungsters' dingy sneakers (or your own) dip a brush in a detergent and water solution, then in dry baking soda and scrub ... Water ring stains on a silk tie will disappear if rubbed gently with a silver coin or spoon.

Doc. Duncan Says

Gramp sez the food stamp plan widout price control means surrender to inflation.

H.L. Hunt Says

SEEKING TRUTH AND BEAUTY

The freedom handed down to us by the Founders and the patriots who have followed them provides uncountable benefits, both material and spiritual. Through the benefits of freedom created by Republic USA, unprecendented millions of its citizens no longer must grovel in ignorance, filth and poverty. Virtually every citizen now can find time to seek truth and beauty in freedom, if he so chooses.

All of us who love freedom and Republic USA must redouble our efforts to make clear the differences between our system, which delivers the goods and the freedom to choose and enjoy, and other systems of collectivism or anarchy, which deliver largely in false promises and slavery.

If those who seek to destroy would turn their talents and their time to constructive activities, how much more good they could do. Young people particularly are seeking truth and beauty. Our information and education institutions fail the, and us, when they stress destructive actions instead of constructive actions.

We do not find truth and beauty by attacking freedom and Republic USA. Our republic exemplifies the best of freedom yet created by the hand of man. It's benefits cannot be extended to more people by destroying freedom and turning our destiny over to crime, communism, inflation and violence.

It is good that our citizens, particularly our young people, are seeking truth and beauty as never before. If we are wise we will convince the young, the apathetic and the militant that truth and beauty are sought and found through freedom, not through destruction and violence. HLH

Hal Boyle

NEW YORK (AP) — I don't know what your opinion of the 1970's is, but so far I'm not impressed.

Everybody got so worn out by the 1960's, that perhaps we all expected too much of the decade to follow it, which was heralded by its cheerleaders in glowing terms ordinarily employed by real estate developers trying to palm off a swamp.

Yes, sir, the 1970's got a tremendous advance build up. Didn't you get the hopeful feeling that it would signal the dawn of a better life and a better world?

Well, anyway I did. I thought 1970 would arrive in a blare of bugles and the waving of many banners, the dramatic striking off of age-old human chains and fetters, the lifting up of human hearts and hopes, flight after flight of bluebirds, and perhaps even the lowering of a state sales tax here and there.

I don't know how it is in your area, but after the first 15 days of the new decade, I can't see that it has made any striking major improvements on the street where I live. In fact, if it were not for the date on the calendar, it would be easy to believ ze were still back in the glum 1960's.

Life remains pretty much the mixture as before.

For example:

No flights of bluebirds have flown over my house. I did see a droop-feathered, shivering robin, his bosom a withered orange. But this early bird was getting no worms; they were asleep deep in earthen beds.

Weren't we to get June in January during the 1970's? The expectation was a fraud. The view from my window shows the same old vista of ice, snow and pavement slush. The trees stand budless and bare.

War still wanders the world with bloody sword and flaming torch. The dove of peace remains a flying fugitive, and the olive branch in its beak droops ever more limply.

Wasn't inflation to be curbed? Where I buy my groceries the price of eggs is still going up. So, I hear, is the price of practically everything else – from free love to college educations.

Way back at the start of the 1960's weren't scientists predicting an early end to the problems of cancer and the common cold? But here it is 1970 already and millions of people are still dying of the one and sniffling from the other.

Maybe I'm being too critical of the 1970's. What I'm going to do is to give them another couple of weeks to prove themselves. Then, if things don't get a darned sight better, I'm going to start looking forward to the 1980's. Surely mankind can't dwell in darkness and despair forever.

Washington Merry - Go - Round

By Jack Anderson

WASHINGTON--Frightening news for the eight million users of "The Pill" is contained in testimony that three medical men have prepared for Senate investigators.

Their statements, submitted to Wisconsin Senator Gaylord Nelson's investigators, warn that birth-control pills can cause blood clots, prolonged arthritis, and cancer of the breast and cervix.

Dr. Thelma Dunn of the National Cancer Institute, for instance, has developed evidence that Enovid in a daily liquid diet "regularly produces cancer of the cervix in mice" when fed over a "very long period."

Dr. Roy Hertz, the former reproduction research chief at the famed National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, describes in his statement how Neonovum and Ethynerone produced "breast tumors... in animals."

As a result, both pills have been withdrawn even from research use. Yet Hertz warned that "the ostrogenic component of these two mixtures is identical with that contained in most of the preparations currently marketed, and the progestational companent is a close relative of the progestagens in the mixtures still widely sold."

The tests have filled "informed observers with great apprehension and concern," said Hertz.

Their testimony will be delivered at hearings, which Senator Nelson is conducting on the side effects of oral contraceptives. Although his office refused to release advance copies of the testimony, this column was able to get them by other means.

--FDA AND AMA FAULTED--

The forthcoming testimony will reveal serious failures by the Food and Drug Administration to force adequate testing of birth-control pills. It will also accuse the American Medical Association of publishing a questionable article lauding "The Pill" to win favor with a big advertiser.

Dr. Hertz, in his advance text, reports that women starting on the pill frequently "complain of increased fullness and sensitivity of the breasts." This indicates "some type of tissue reaction is taking place," and he urges "detailed scrutiny."

Hertz said the lack of real data about the pill and possible cancer is like the "situation with respect to the pill's effect on 'blood clots' just a few years ago." Subsequently, blood clots have been acknowledged as a genuine danger in oral contraceptives. In fact, he said the inadequate knowledge about pills and cancer can be compared with what was known about lung cancer and cigarettes before statistics established their relationship.

"The estrogen-progestagen combinations do produce tumors in dogs and mice," said Hertz. These substances are found in most oral contraceptives.

Hertz declared: "I can visualize only a rare circumstance indeed in which I would recommend estrogen-progestagen mixtures for contraceptive use."

--PILL-MAKER--

Another statement, obtained by this column, was prepared for the Senate investigators by Dr. Edmond Kassouf of Cranford, N.J. As far back as 1961, he warned G. D. Searle Co. about a woman who got phlebitis while taking birth control pills. The company told him there was "no evidence to implicate the pill," but Kassouf has been investigating ever since.

In his statements, Kassouf quoted a Sept. 30, 1968, article in the Journal of the American Medical Association by Dr. Victor Drill and David Calhoun of the G.D. Searle Co. They declared "that U.S. data did not reveal a clotting or death risk," a conclusion now disputed by the Food and Drug Administration.

In the year before, other documents show, Searle had placed 77 pages of advertisements in the Journal.

Kassouf charged that literature put out by Searle, Ortho- Pharmaceutical and Parke-Davis for women using the pill continue to "mislead and misinform."

He described a long history of Food and Drug Administration vacillation on the pill and said that it is now generally agreed that "major pill clotting reactions" occur in one out of every 2,000 pill users each year."

Dr. Giles Bole, Jr., associate professor of internal medicine at the University of Michigan Medical School, gave Senate investigators a report on his studies of arthritis and the pill. He warned, however, that his findings are preliminary.

--ARTHRITIS INVOLVED--

He told of surveys taken at the University of Michigan arthritis clinic. In the spring of 1967 a 24-year-old housewife on the pill reported mild rheumatic complaints. She stopped taking the pill "and within six weeks all of her laboratory abnormalities had disappeared."

A variety of surveys on women from 15 to 45 generally bore out the results of the first woman's case. Dr. Bole said there was something of a dilemma on use of the pill because "we cannot ignore the overwhelming importance of population control as a major social and medical problem for our age."

In addition, natural pregnancy can sometime worsen arthritic diseases. Nevertheless, he said a great deal of individual thought should be given before using "oral contraceptives in patients with early or established rheumatic disease."

A fourth document, disputing the others, was prepared by Dr. Robert W. Kistner of the Harvard Medical School. He stated: "Only one decision stands: the pill is safe. It is safer than pregnancy but not as safe as continence."

Kistner said that "for every pill-induced death in Britain, there are at least 1,500 cigarette-induced deaths.

"There is no statistically valid basis for linking the pill to the various forms of cancer that occur in the female," said Kistner.

The professional evidence which the Senate hearings will produce, however, are weighted three to one against The Pill.

Ann Landers

Young, Single Male Rents From Rich, Older Widow

Dear Ann Landers: If you can get me out of this, you are a magician. I know it's my own fault, so please don't give me Hail Columbia. Just help me.

I'm a quiet person who minds her own business and stays to herself, but I let the woman next door get too friendly. I am so sick of her big mouth I could scream. I used to wonder how women could visit during the day and still get their housework done. Now I know the answer. These slobs don't do any housework, which is why they have so much time to pester those of us who do.

What really makes me furious is the way she brings all her cooking and baking mistakes over here for us to eat. I'm fed up with her burned stews and overseasoned spaghetti. Yesterday it was a pudding that didn't jell. She said, "Here's your desert for tonight. I must have left something out but it tastes fine. Drink it."

Please, Ann, tell me how to cool off this friendship without slamming the door in her face. She has made me so nervious I yell at my children and am nasty to my husband. Help! -- Trapped In My Own Home

Dear Trapped: Go to your doctor and let him tell you you need more rest. Inform your friend of the doctor's orders. Tell her you must lie down at frequent intervals that she can't come over uninvited anymore. Say, "I'll call you when I'm feeling better." And when you are feeling better and think perhaps you ought to give her a call, "just to be nice," take out this column and read it again.

Dear Ann Landers: I was interested in the study you cited recently which showed an unusually high achievement level of children born to young mothers and old fathers. (Especially male children.)

I am currently involved in another study which explains this facinating "phenomenon." The reason the child is precocious and tends to be an achiever is because the mother feels closer to the child than to her husband. Consequently, she spends an inordinate amount of time with him.

The child, as a result of this close relationship, many be an achiever, but he pays for his achievement in other ways. He is usually emotionally immature and hung-up on his mother. This makes him a poor candidate for marriage. Better Mom should have married someone in her own group and not have the kid turn out to be a superstar. Please keep plugging for everything in its own season. -- Turn Turn Turn

Dear Turn: Your assumption that the young mother spends an inordinate amount of time with her son because he is closer to her age than the old gaffer she married may or may not be true. Some of these young moms spend an inordinate amount of time with young lovers. Each case must be judged separately.

Dear Ann Landers: Our geometry teacher is groovy, great looking and not married. He used to live in an apartment but he couldn't afford it any more and moved into the beautiful, large home of an older woman who is very rich. She is a widow. Some people say he is renting a room but nobody ever saw rent receipts.

We realize high school teachers in Virginia are underpaid but what do you think about this? -- Head Of What's What

Dear Head: Not that it's really your business, but maybe your geometry teacher has discovered a new angle.

Is alcoholism a disease? How can the alcoholic be treated? Is there a cure?

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Metcalf

Metcalf's Celebrate 50th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Metcalf celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on Dec. 28 in their home. They have lived in Canalou 34 years.

The Metcalfs were married Dec. 31, 1919, in Arkansas. They are parents of Delmo Williams and Henry Metcalf, both of St. Louis, Mrs. A. C. Emerson of Santa Ana, Calif.; Mrs. Jack Cayson of Security, Colo.; and Mrs. Howard Lasters of Canalou.

Those who gathered to honor Mr. and Mrs. Metcalf were: Mrs. W. O. Burnett, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Lumsden, Mrs. C. L. Lasters, Price Baker, Mrs. Lestor Carroll, Mrs. Howard Lastors and Martha;

Mrs. Belinda and Carol Breedlove, Kerry, Sandy and Darla Lasters, Mrs. Wm. Harris, Mrs. Dessie Shepard and Emily, Mrs. Nelson Gruen, Bro. Fred Boren and wife, Mrs. Fred Lasters, Mrs. Lala McCann, Mrs. Gene Summers and Mrs. Shot Fraley;

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sexton, Mr. and Mrs. Delmo Williams and Danny, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Thoma and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith.

Master Cathey Celebrates 6th

Howard George Cathey II, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Cathey 214 Kramer, celebrated his sixth birthday Saturday with the following attending;

Peter Malone, Jimmy Cannon, Heidi Coon, Patricia Bowman, Brian Wilson, Kelly Wilson, Vincent DuPont, Phillip DuPont, Steven Green, Mark Moore, Frank Parrish, Rondall Lee Cathey, Tracy Jeffords, Gary Beaver, Jill Meyer, Jimmy Cox, Stanley Woods, Mary Dement, Craig Lopp.

Games, and refreshments of cupcakes and punch, entertained the children.

Reconciliation Dinner Planned For Friday

Plans are nearly completed for the Methodist Reconciliation Dinner.

The dinner will be held Friday at 6:30 p.m. in Bertrand United. Although 123 attended last year, plans are made to serve 150 this Friday. Meat, bread and drink are being provided by the churches. Guests should bring a vegetable, salad or dessert.

The is proclaimed a Christian "love-in" by the churches participating. Those are Dogwood, Bridges, Sikeston First and Wesley, Betrand, Wyatt, Charleston, East Prairie, Smith's Chapel, Morehouse and Blodgett.

Dr. Seth Edwards of SIU will be guest speaker.

Stars' Colors

Colors are indications of star temperatures and also tell which of the elements make up the stars. As a rule, the blue and the white stars are the hottest, while the red ones are the cooler stars.

Women's Page

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A TREE GROWS IN BROOKLYN ... A SOUTHERN TREE

NEW YORK (AP) - A magnolia tree grows in Brooklyn and neighborhood children are raising money to make sure it won't be destroyed by an urban renewal program.

The four - story - tall, 85 - year - old magnolia grandiflora, which normally flourishes in the South, has been protected from wintry winds by a brownstone apartment building in the Bedford - Stuyvesant section.

The community is selling raffle tickets - shaped like magnolia leaves - for a fund to raise $5,000 to save the building from the wrecker's ball. The horticulture Society of New York is pitching in by paying neighborhood kids one cent for each seed of the hearty tree they bring in.

The society says the tree, an evergreen, is the largest and oldest of its kind north of baltimore. In the summer it produces large, white fragrant blossoms.

Hospital Notes

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY: Released:

James Edsall, Matthews
Jesse Bell, Charleston
Charles Boyd, New Madrid
Elizabeth Bartlett, Sikeston
Mrs. Juanita Atwell & Baby Girl, Matthews
Joseph Baker, Sikeston
Green Greer, Sikeston
Paul Manker, Sikeston
Charles Musgraves, Parma
Elise Kemp, Charleston
Ada Walker, New Madrid
Mary Watson, East Prairie
Ethel Wilson, East Prairie
Virginia Melton, Canalou
Viola McQueen, Dexter
Frankie Summers, Sikeston
Ada Broughton, New Madrid

DEXTER MEMORIAL: Admitted:
Lilly Collier, Dexter;
Sandra Minton, St. Charles, Ill.;
Virdie Vinson, Dexter;
Ester Stevens, Bloomfield;
William Malin, Patton;

Released:
Bertha Pratt, Dexter;
Otto Elder, Dexter;
Edna Ridenour, Puxico;
Lula Thrower, Dexter;
Terry Owens, St. Louis;
John Miller, Bernie;
Elva Tanner, Dexter.

New Arrivals

RAINWATER - Son to Mr and Mrs. Thomas Rainwater, Route 2, Lucy Lee Hospital, Poplar Bluff, Dec. 23. Name, Brian Thomas. Weight, 9 pounds, 15 ounces. First child. Mrs. Rainwater is the former Miss Kathy Eskew, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Eskew of Dexter. Mr. Rainwater is a college student, and is the son of Mrs. Edward Lowes.

LIGGETT - Son to Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Liggett, 435 College, Southeast Missouri Hospital, 10:14 p.m. Monday. Name, Darrell Wayne. Weight 7 pounds 9 ounces. First child. Mrs. Liggett is the former Miss Doris Barnes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Barnes of Bell City. Mr. Liggett is employed by Mid-West Diesel, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Liggett of Bell City.

BOMAR - Son to Mr. and Mrs. Gary Bomar to Bernie. Southeast Missouri Hospital, 10:17 p.m. Saturday. Name, Anthony Scott. Weight 5 pounds 11 ounces. First child. Mrs. Bomar is the former Miss Jeanine Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Johnson of Dexter. Mr. Johnson is employed by Johnson Refrigeration at Dexter and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Bomar of Bernie.

WILLIAMS - Son to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Williams of Oran. Southeast Missouri Hospital, 1:03 a.m. Saturday. Name, Donald Lee. Weight 6 pounds 14½ ounces. First child. Mrs. Williams is the former Miss Beneda Shoemaker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Shoemaker of Elmo. Mr. Williams is a mechanic and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dovie Williams of Oran.

RAFFETY - Son to Mr. and Mrs. Elott Raffety of Wyatt, 3:27 p.m. Monday. Name, Thomas Daly. Weight 8 pounds 2 ounces. Third child, third son. Mrs. Rafferty is the former Miss Karen Ann Collins, daughter of Mrs. John A. Collins of Indianapolis, Ind. Mr. Rafferty is self-employed and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Hunter Raffety of Wyatt.

CAYTON - Daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Cayton of Point Pleasant. Southeast Missouri Hospital, 8:07 a.m., Thursday. Name, Sandy Marie. Weight 5 pounds 13 ounces. Second child, second daughter, Mrs. Cayton is the former Miss Donna Tatum daughter of Charles Tatum of Point Pleasant and Mrs. Vera Stafford of Point Pleasant. Mr. Cayton is employed at Patton, Tulley Transportation Co., and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cayton of Point Pleasant.

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Cook's Column

CELESTIAL PEACHES
1 can (29 oz.) peach halves
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1 tsp. lemon juice
1/4 cup brandy
whipped cream
nutmeg

DRAIN peaches, reserving 1/3 cup syrup. MELT margarine and sugar in large saucepan. STIR in peach syrup and lemon juice; bring to boil. ADD peaches and simmer slowly 10 minutes; baste frequently. ADD brandy; continue to simmer 5 minutes. Serve peaches warm garnished with whipped cream and dash of nutmeg. (6 servings)

NOTE: Flavor is also pleasing when brandy is substituted with 1/4 cup white corn syrup plus 1 Tablespoon brandy or rum flavoring.

Oh, really!

WASHINGTON (AP) — One out of five persons answering a survey on violence say there are situations they can imagine in which they would approve of a husband slapping a wife's face.

While 20 per cent answered yes to this question, 22 per cent said they could imagine situations in which they would approve of a husband slapping a wife's face.

But when it comes to shooting your mate, the percentage drops off drastically. Only 3 per cent said they would approve of a husband shooting his wife, and 4 per cent could imagine some justification for a wife shooting her husband.

The survey by Louis Harris Associates, sampling 1,176 adults, was taken for a task force of the National Commission on the Causes and Prevention of Violence.

The study also said "law enforcement officials receive approval from a majority of adults for the use of violence only when it is necessary to protect their lives or to carry out their legal responsibilities."

In the U.S. House of Representatives, Democrats occupy the east side of the chamber, on the speaker's right: Republicans sit across the main aisle on the speaker's left.

Popular Bird

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Rivalry Match Friday

By DAVID McCLARTY

Last week was a big one for the Sikeston Bulldogs. They pulled out three victories straight to even their record at 3-3. This week shows a tough one to attempt to get over the .500 plateau as the Cagers meet arch-rival Charleston in the Field House Friday with game time at 7 p.m.

The Bulldogs have looked rather impressive on the road as they have a 2-1 record against a 1-2 slate on the home court. It seems the Sikeston five just cannot get any kind of an offensive game going on their own floor. The only home game last week showed the whole Bulldog team scoring only 35 points. But when the opposing team scored less than you, you have done your job. The only thing bothering people is that Larry Lawerence pumped in 35 and 36 respectively for the Dogs on the road last week, but could not find it at home, as he only scored 12. We hope to see the team break through the ice and score and overwhelming victory against the Bluejays.

The Charleston Bluejays bring to Sikeston quite an impressive running game to scrap with the Dogs. In his first year at Charleston Coach Arnold Ryan has built a good run - and - shoot game which has won them second place in the Oran Invitational and put their record at 7-4. The Bluejays have a very well balanced team as they never have one outstanding player every night. Henry Hall leads the way for the Jays, but when he hasn't got it, there are Phil Clemons and Charles Ingram to take control.

Sikeston hoped to pep up its offensive game a bit against the Jays and try to slow down the Jays'. If Lawrence and Yarber can come through with Hackney and Throop adding their share the Dogs can pull the game with little trouble. The cool ball handling of sophomore Undre West will hope to keep the Dogs in control of the ball and the game.

Sikeston has many factors aiding its bid for victory as they have won their last three games and don't want to break this string. Also winning these games gives the team an added confidence. And always the Sikeston Bulldogs want to put down the Jays because of the great strife between the two teams. The only disadvantage I see for the Dogs is that they will be playing on their home court!

NEW MADRID'S James "red" Tucker leaps high over Matthews' Andrew Richardson (25) for a tip in during Tuesday New Madrid county league battle that the Indians won 74-59.

NCAA Rules 11th Game

WASHINGTON (AP) — The National Collegiate Athletic Association, having sent the nation's college football coaches into a whirlwind of activity by permitting them to schedule an additional game next fall, today faced the controversial case of Yale's ineligible basketball player.

A session between coaches Darrel Royal of top-ranked Texas and Joe Paterno of runner-up Penn State was just one of many hurriedly arranged meetings Wednesday as schools scurried to line up opponents for the newly approved game.

Meanwhile, although the NCAA's 64th annual convention officially ended Wednesday, the NCAA Council, policy making body of the national organization, was expected to punish Yale for knowingly using a basketball player declared ineligible by both the NCAA and its affiliate, the Eastern College Athletic Conference.

The likelihood was that Yale would be slapped with some form of probation, possibly contingent on whether it ceases to use the player. However, the school has said it will continue defying the NCAA and ECAC.

The issue is another power struggle between the NCAA and the Amateur Athletic Union over control of amatur basketball in this country.

against a non-league oppoinent. South Carolina belongs to the Atlantic Coast Conference.

Col. A. J. Dielens, athletic director at the U.S. Military Academy, said Army would add the extra contest. Coach Ara Parseghian of Notre Dame said he was for an 11th game but didn't know whether his administration would approve it.

In other action Wednesday, the NCAA delegates approved limiting to two the number of visits a prospective athlete can make to a college. Then they ordered further study of a proposal to limit a coach or his representative to the same number of visits to the youngster's home town.

The delegates also voted to prohibit a coach or his representative from contacting a high school athlete at an event in which he participates and killed a measure that would have given the NCAA's executive committee review powers over decisions made by the 14 rules committees, which operate autonomously.

In an attempt to bring the AAU to its knees, the NCAA refused to sanction the basketball competition in the Maccabiah Games in Tel Aviv last August, although it had done so in the past and approved all other sports in last year's games.

Yale, however, told its invited player, Jack Langer, that he could participate in the games and he was the only collegian on the U.S. basketball team, which lost to Israel in the finals.

Yale received a minor setback Wednesday when the NCAA delegates tabled a proposal that would have specifically identified the Maccabiah Games as one of he international competitions to be considered for approval.

A Texas-Penn State football game would be one of the highlights of the 1970 season after the storm that arose this past season when both teams posted 11-0 records. However, both sides insisted early today that such a meeting was not settled.

Woman To Invade SHS Field House Saturday

Milldrette Netter of Alcorn A & M at Lorman, Miss., heads up the field of 150 woman athletes who will join in initationing the Sikeston high school indoor track Saturday as the Region 8 Woman's AAU indoor track meet is held.

Miss Netter was a gold medal winner on the Olympic 400 Meter relay team last year and will compete in the sprints Saturday against women from eight states.

Same Giambelluca, recently re-elected National Chairman of the AAU Junior Olympics for girls track and field will be in charge of Saturday's meet. This will be his fifth year as chairman of the Olympics.

The meet is expected to draw teams from Illinois, Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Mississippi, Indiana and Kentucky.

Eleven events will be held starting with preliminaries at 11 a.m. and the finals at noon.

The top two finishers in each event will qualify for the Nationals at Madison Square Gardens in New York on Jan. 27th.

Among the events will be a basketball throw, which replaces the discus in indoor meets for women. Sprints will be 50, 220 440 and 880. with a Mile run, 60 yard hurdle, two four lap relays, Medlay Relay, high hump and Shot. No long jump will be held because the pit at the field house isn't filled for the vent.

Three St. Louis area teams are entered Saturday with the Blues, Ozark and Kirkwood teams joing the Topeka Cosmos, Kansas City Jets, and teams from Belleville, Ill.; Murray, Ky.; Carbondale, Ill.; Chicago, Ill.; Terra Haunte, Ind.; Lorman, Miss. and the Southeast Missouri club headed by Giambelluca.

Other top teams from the eight state region is expected.

The Indoor meet Saturday is the first of three scheduled at the domed SHS field house. The others are scheduled by Southeast Missouri State College of Cape Girardeau on February 21 with Memphis State at 3 p.m. and March 7, with Springfield at 12:30.

STEERING COLUMN

By Bill Brodrick

Auto racing.

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The sights, sounds, smells, and feelings of man and machine working as one in the heat of competition are unparalleled.

Those who have heard the deafening roar of fourty - four Grand National stock cars blasting by under the green starter's flag at a southern super - speedway or the banshee wail of an AA/Fuel dragster when it turns the quarter mile 225 mph plus are hooked by the mystique of speed.

Those who haven't been exposed to the magnetism of auto racing can only shake their head and wonder. Wonder, that is, until the day when they take that final step through a turnstile into a new world and become a member of the family that is racing.

This is the Steering Column. Its heart is racing and its eyes and ears are your look into the awesome panorama of color, dirt, sweat, emotions, victories and defeats that set auto racing apart from any other professional sport.

The Steering Column is people. The well known, the up - and - coming, the has-been. It's the spoken word of drivers, mechanics, officials, promoters and car owners. It tells of their hopes, their memories and their fears. When the members of the racing family speak out, their words will be read here.

The Steering Column is machines. New model stock cars and old jalopies. Open cockpit and closed cockpit, Grand Prix and Grand Touring. When race cars are born their announcement will be found here, and when they go to the junk yard their obituary will be found here too. Some machines win and some don't. You'll know about them.

The Steering Column is places. It's on the move. From a road racing course in Riverside, California to a short track in Montpelier, Vermont you'll be there. It makes no difference that a race track is a quarter mile long and flat or two and a half miles long with thirty - three degree banking. Together they form the backbone of racing and are all a part of the Steering Column.

Every speedway has a story to tell when the spirit of racing brings it to life. And there's a story to be told when they die. You'll read their story here.

The Steering Column is the fan. It's his voice. Here he'll make known his objections, his praises, and he'll give advice. Racing is a sport containing a spectator - participant relationship that has no equal. Yet so often the fan in the stands can't communicate to his brother on the track. Sometimes the story the fan has to tell his humorous, sometimes it's tragic But it's all part of the Steering Column.

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District Basketball

By Mark Adams By David Crader By David McClarty

TIGERS LOSE

CARUTHERSVILLE – The Caruthersville Tigers were handed their ninth straight basketball setback of the season Tuesday, as they were edged by the Gideon Bulldogs 61-63. The Tigers made a valiant attempt to upset the Dogs for their first victory, but too many costly turnovers put the game in the Dogs bag.

The Bulldogs picked up the victory behind the 19 point effort of Robert Buchanan. Jim Roberts came on strong for the Dogs also, as he tallied 16 to add to the Tigers woes.

Caruthersville placed four men in twin figures, but none managed to come up with the four points needed to close the victory. Ronnie Randolf was the big man of the four, as he pumped in 16 markers. Kenny Baird closely followed him with 15.

Caruthersville made a little better showing in the JV contest though, as they picked up a 73-51 victory. William Reno was the leading scorer, as he connected for 23 to lead the Tigers to their victory.

Scoring:

CARUTHERSVILLE (63)

Malone 11, Bared 15, Randolf 16, Holland 3, Simmons 7, Hubbard 11, Totals: FG-25; FT-13; PF-15.

GIDEON (66)

Buchanan 19, Cleaves 10, Roberts 16, Murphy 9, Walker 4, Littell 6, Nolan 2. Totals: FG-29; FT-8; PF-22.

Score By Quarters:

Caruthersville	15	12	16	20-63
Gideon	18	22	10	16-66

INDIANS LOSE

CHAFFEE – Steve Rogers and Charlie Vickery teamed for 47 points in leading Chaffee to its ninth win of the season Tuesday, scoring 24 and 23 points respectively as the Red Devils topped the Jackson Indians 88-76.

Jackson fell back 20-18 in the first quarter and was never able to overcome that deficit as Chaffee put four players in double figure scoring while the Indians had three led by Jim Walker's 21.

Chaffee also claimed the B-win, beating the visitors 71-52 for its seventh win in nine games.

Scoring:

CHAFFEE (88)

Vickery 23, Doniphan 15, Rogers 24, Ballard 8, Daugherty 14, Proffer 4. Totals: FG-37; Pf-14; PF-17.

JACKSON (76)

Thompson 8, Meyer 5, Weasel 16, Walker 21, Owens 9, Crites 14, Illers 3. Totals: FG-28. FT-20; PF-13.

Score By Quarters:

Chaffee	20	22	19	27-88
Jackson	18	15	22	21-76

LEOPOLD WINS FIRST

LEOPOLD – Leopold slipped past the College High Preps Tuesday to gain a 44-42 win and its first victory of the season. College High won the B-game 55-12.

Gerand Seyler lead the Wildcants with 19 markers as Hutching followed with 13. For the Preps, Kaith Cotner connected for 13 and teammate Hobbs hit 10.

College High's 55-12 JV win was lead by Aufdenberg's 20 points, with Landwee with 4 in the Jr. Wildcats effort.

Scoring:

LEOPOLD (44)

Hutching 13, Stoverink 3, E. Horvell 7, Seyler 19, D. Horvell 2. Totals: FG-12; FT-20; Pf-13.

COLLEGE HIGH (42)

Adams 7, Cottener 13, Wessel 3, Kelly 7, Hobbs 10, Griffan 2, Totals: FG-13; FT-16; Pf-16.

Score By Quarters:

Leopold	8	13	15	8-44
college High	9	10	15	8-42

CHARGERS 11-2

DEERING – Delta C-7 moved it's record up to 11-2 as they downed the North Pemiscot Mustangs 79-53 Tuesday. This also kept their perfect Bootheel conference record going at 3-0.

Eddie Starks proved to be thbig man for the Chargers as he pumped in 23 with Charles Jones right behind at 22. Paul Scott added 16 and Dock Conner collected 11 for C-7. Terry McCulloh led thylosers with 17 and Don Smith added 15 with Bobby McCulloh adding 11 for the Mustangs.

The B Chargers made it a double victory as they won 45-37. Terry Lance led the Chargers with 19 and Arnold Young led the losers with 15.

Scoring:

DELTA C-7 (79)

Starks 23, Jones 22, Scott 16, Conner 11, Lair 4, Williams 1, Chastain 2. Totals: FG-30; FT-19; PF-9.

NORTH PEMISCOT (63)

McCulloch 17, Smith 15, McCulloch 11, White 6, Winston 3, Hensley 2, Dixon 4, Robinson 5. Totals: FG-28; FT-7; PF-22.

Score By Quarters:

Delta C-7	24	19	18	18-79
N. Pemiscot	19	16	12	16-63

MARBLE HILL – The Woodland Cardinals picked up dual victories here Tuesday, as they crushed Meadow Heights of Patton 80-40 in the varsity contest and 49-30 in the B-game.

Woodland was lead in their victory bid by Tom Smith, who connected for 36 big markers. Only one other man managed twin figures for Woodland, that being Steve Lambert who pumped in 13.

Meadow Heights was paced in their losing effort by two cousins, Derrick and Mike Mungle, who managed 17 and 15 respectively.

The Cardinals won the JV encounter behind the 13 point effort of Gary Roberts. Stroder lead Meadow Heights. with 11.

Scoring:

WOODLAND (80)

Smith 36, Lambert 13, Durham 4, Allmon 6, Holley 3, Gaines 7, Acker 2, J. Johnson 7, Barks 1. Totals: FG-34; FT-11; PF-8.

MEADOW HEIGHTS (40)

D. Mungle 17, Mungle 15, Dvais 1, Lukefahr 2, Turner 4, Bollinger 1. Totals: FG-16; FT-8; PF-10.

Score By Quarters:

Woodland	20	16	19	24-80
Meadow	10	11	12	7-40

CAMELS WIN

CAMPBELL – Campbell came up with their second victory of the season Tuesday as it posted a 66-60 win over Naylor, after the B team won 73-36.

In the last few minutes of the game Naylor had climbed to a single point edge Campbell hit two quick shots the gained the lead and a six point victory. The Camels were lead in scoring by Bill Kirkwood and John Gardner as the due hit 15 each.

Naylor's scoring was lead by Armour and Hatton who tallied 17 and 12 points respectively.

GaryCarter hit 25 points for Campbell in their 73-36 JV win.

Naylor's top scorer was Johnson who connected for 13 points.

Scoring:

CAMPBELL (66)

Gardner 15, Ledford 3, Wood 13, Rivkwood 10, Petri 6, Carter 8, Meeley 4, Boyet 2, Boyd 5. Totals: Fg-25; FT-16; PF-27.

NAYLOR (60)

Smith 9, Armour 17, Parrent 10, Halton 12, Jones 8, Day 4. Totals: FG-19; FT-22; PF-21.

Score By Quarters:

Campbell	19	18	13	16-66
Naylor	9	17	18	16-60

SOUTH BEATS NORTH

HAYTI – South Pemiscot edged Hayti North Tuesday 61-60 in two overtimes.

Hayti was playing catch up ball throughout the whole game as the Bulldogs pulled out to an early lead in the first period 13-8. From this point on Hayti caught up gradually and they tied it in the final minute to go into overtime. In the second overtime the Bulldogs jumped to a five point lead, which left the Indians to try to catch up but they fell short by one point.

Prentice Earls led the Bulldogs to victory with a 17 points production and Jarboe adding 11. The Indians warpath showed Northern McIntyre gaining high point honors scoring 19 and Buddy Moore added 13.

Hayti came out on top in the JV contest, 72-60. The Indians were led by Tony Ruff with 24.

Scoring:

SOUTH PESMICOT (61)

Earls 17, Jarboe 11, Whitting ton 10, Holt 9, Gordon 8, Bishop 6; Totals: FG-22; FT-17; Pf-13.

HAYTI, NORTH (60)

Moore 13, Weatherspoon 12, McIntyre 19, Blevins 2, Grissom 8, Rogers 6. Totals: FG-25; FT-10; PF-13.

Score By Quarters:

Hayti	8	14	17	9 7 5-60
S. Pem	13	13	15	7 7 6-61

EAGLES WIN 10TH

OAK RIDGE - The Oak Ridge Eagles ran their season's slate 10-3 Tuesday, as they crushed Valle of Ste. Genevieve 76-59.

David Lang gave the high- flying Eagles their tenth victory, as he pumped in 31 to take the game's high point honors. The Eagles place another man in the over-twenty bracket also, as Darrell Hahs connected for 23 markers.

The Ste. Gen squad was paced by Dave Wehner, who managed 17 against the tough Eagle defense.

Valley reversed the tabels in the B game though, as Mike Huck lead the Warriors to a 41-21 decision with 18. The Oak Ridge JV's were represented in the scoring column by Jim Seabaugh, who hit for 10.

Scoring:

OAK RIDGE (76)

Hahs 23, Grantham 10, Ford 5, Ludwig 2, Hahs 3, Lang 31, Stearns 2. Totals: FG-27; FT-22; Pf-24.

VALLEY (59)

Rozier 15, Hess 6, Winners 2, Wehner 17, Wiphler 15, Stoll 4, Totals: FG-21; FT-17; PF-19.

Score By Quarters:

Valley	9	13	17	20-59
Oak Ridge	17	17	29	12-76

PUXICO WINS 10TH

PUXICO – The Puxico Indians grabbed duel victories Tuesday as they handed their Stoddard County neighbors Bloomfield a crushing 76-44 varsity setback, and a 46-39 defeat in the B match. The Indians increased their seasonal record with the wing as their varsity record was bettered to a 10-5 mark.

It was a stiff Indian defense, that allowed only 24 points in the first three quarters of play, that gave the Indians the decisive victory.

Tallying for overhalf of Puxico's 76 points was the due of Ken Andrews and Tony Morris, as the two lead the tribe with 27 and 25 point productions.

Sophomore James Chism was the only player on the Naylor squad that reached the Double figures, as he connected for 12.

Puxico's win in the JV contest was lead by Mike Hill, who with 10 points, lead the Indians in their 46-39 JV win. Kelly and Pounds lead the Naylor JV's with 9 a piece.

Scoring:

PUXICO (76)

Andress 27, Taylor 8, Morris 25, Anthony 2, Shelton 2, Walk 6, Wear 2, Hill 2, Sholt 2. Totals: FG-29; FT-18; Pf-14.

BLOOMFIELD (44)

Hutchenson 4, Bowlling 8, Lafferty 4, Marion 8, Chism 12, Chastine 6, Irwin 2, Totals: FG-21; FT-2; PF-16.

Score By Quarters:

Puxico	13	18	27	18-76
Bloomfield	6	8	10	20-44

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10,000 Cotton Bales Burn in Kennett

KENNETT — A fire which broke out at the Kennett Federal Compress Wednesday destroyed an estimated 10,000 bales of cotton and caused losses estimated at 1.6 million dollars following an explosion.

The fire began at about 12:30 p.m. and was brought under control by 2 p.m. It is expected to smolder for two to three days because of problems involved in extinguishing a cotton fire.

Fire officials kept three pumpers at the scene until late Wednesday. They said they believed the fire had been burning for sometime before it was discovered and that the compress sprinkler system had failed to operate.

The Kennett fire department was aided by units from Hayti 16 miles east of Kennett. Firemen at the scene said they had no reports of injuries and most of the employes of the compress were on a lunch break when the fire was noticed.

An employe of the Kennett Light and Water Department said a power failure, due to burned lines, affected the entire northeast section of the city - including the Emerson Electrical Manufacturing Co. and the Kennett UniRoyal plant.

"A UniRoyal official said the plant was without power for an hour and ten minutes but had no loss estimate as a result of the blockout. Spokesmen at the Emerson plant were not available for comment.

The compress spokesman said the facility has a $31,000 bale capacity in 11 sheds and 2 of the sheds were destroyed. He said the cause of the fire had not been determined.

The compress has fire insurance on the buildings and equipment and the stored cotton.

Overhead sprinklers installed at the compress generally worked, but some difficulty was experienced because of frozen pipes, caused by cold weather.

Flames from the press area leaped over the large 20 x 75-foot concrete fire walls separating the storage shed and sped quickly to other areas following the explosion.

Power and telephone lines to the compress were cut off by the fire. Electrical power was off in some parts of the town for about an hour.

Firemen remained on the scene today as the cotton continued to burn.

Several empty railroad cars near the building constructed in 1937, were damaged.

A smokestack in the damaged portion of the building toppled across utility lines.

Circuit Court

BENTON: Judge Craig heard these CRIMINAL CASES here recently:

State vs. David G. Collier, Jr., NON-SUPPORT.Case passed until Jan. 22, 1970.

State vs. Jimmy Sloan, BURGLARY AND STEALING.

Defendant in Court with his attorney, and they file Motions to Dismiss and Suppress.

Motions set for hearing at a later date.

State vs. J.B. Williams, RAPE.

Leave granted defendant to file Motion to Vacate and Set Aside Judgement and Sentence of Court.

State vs. J.B. Williams, 1st DEGREE MURDER

Same as above case.

State vs. J.B. Williams, 1st DEGREE MURDER.

Same as above case.

State vs. L.F. Turner, LEAVING SCENE OF ACCIDENT.

Defendant released from custody and Ordered to return to custody of Sheriff later.

State vs. Andy Hopper, ARSON.

Finally discharged.

State vs. Dallas Cluck, STEALING OVER $50.00.

Case removed from Trial Docket and passed until further order, by agreement.

Cases Filed

BENTON: These cases were filed with the Circuit Clerk:

Donna Atkinson vs. R.E. Atkinson, Jr., Sam Lighter vs. Irene Lighter; Emma Pearson vs. W.E. Pearson; Linda Gayle Sweet vs J.C. Sweet; Andrew Chapman vs. Joy Ellen Chapman, DIVORCES.

Elvia Sawyer vs. Thelma West, RENT & POSSESSION.

Frisco R.R. vs. Aubrey Michael, Collector; South Ill. and Mo. Bridge Co. vs. Aubrey Michael, Collector and Mo. Pac. R.R. vs. Aubrey Michael, Collector, RECOVER TAXES PAID UNDER PROTEST.

Ethel Smith vs. H.R. Bennett, PERSONAL INJURIES.

Public Finance Corp. vs. Dora Morgan, PROMISSORY NOTE.

T.E. Holmes vs. V.T. Rogers, DAMAGES.

Patsy Travis vs. Vernon Travis, NON-SUPPORT.

Bell City News

BELL CITY — Franklin Moring, superintendent of the Bell City Schools and Johnnie Richards, elementary principal, attended the winter meeting of district elementary principals in Cape Girardeau on Thursday. Richard Trout, High school principal, attended a meeting of High Schools principal in Dexter. Moring and Dewight Richmond, president of the Board of Education, will leave Sunday for Columbia where they will attend a meeting for School Board administrator. On Thursday, Moring will attend a meeting at the Holiday Inn in Cape Girardeau for a workshop for school elections and procedures. Kent Barber of the Jefferson City State Department of Education will be the speaker.

The regular meeting of the United Methodist Men's Club was held Monday evening with the president, W. A. Kilbury presiding. During the business meeting, an election of officers was held. Earl Weeks Sr. was elected president, Paul H. Barks, vice president; and Clifford Warren, secretary and treasurer Committees will be appointed at a later date. The group voted to hold two benefit dinners ths year. Max Bollinger and Wallace Stephens were hosts for the evening meal. Seventeen men were present and the next meeting will be held January 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleatus Lemmons and sons, Galen and Thomas, have returned home after spending the holidays with Mrs. Lemmons' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Thomas of Braderton, Fla. where they were met by their son- in - law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jere Hargraves and daughter of Abilene, Texas. Galen will return to his studies at Abilene Christian College in Abilene, Texas on Thursday after spending a month's vacation with his family.

Fred Scherer will return to his studies at West Minister College at Fulton after spending the holiday season with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Scherer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Eakin of O'Fallon, Ill., were guests of his mother, Mrs. J. A. Eakin, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Driskell.

A. G. Lemmons of Henderson, Ky. was guest speaker at the Jackson Church of Christ in Jackson and also visited his mother, Mrs. Hassel Lemmons, over the weekend.

Mrs. W. C. Wheeler and Mrs. J. W. Foster attended the covered dish luncheon and council meeting of the Extension Clubs of Stoddard County in the Civic Center in Bloomfield Monday.

Teacher Arrested for Molesting Children

ST. LOUIS (AP)—A teacher was arrested Tuesday in connection with the molestation of several children in South St. Louis, police said.

The teacher was identified as Henry J. Moravek who teaches at a school for the handicapped in Creve Coeur.

Moravek was charged in a warrant issued Tuesday with molesting a 12-year-old girl in Francis Park on Jan. 2.

Detectives Fred Siebel and Milford Rohr said 10 other children identified Moravek in a lineup Tuesday.

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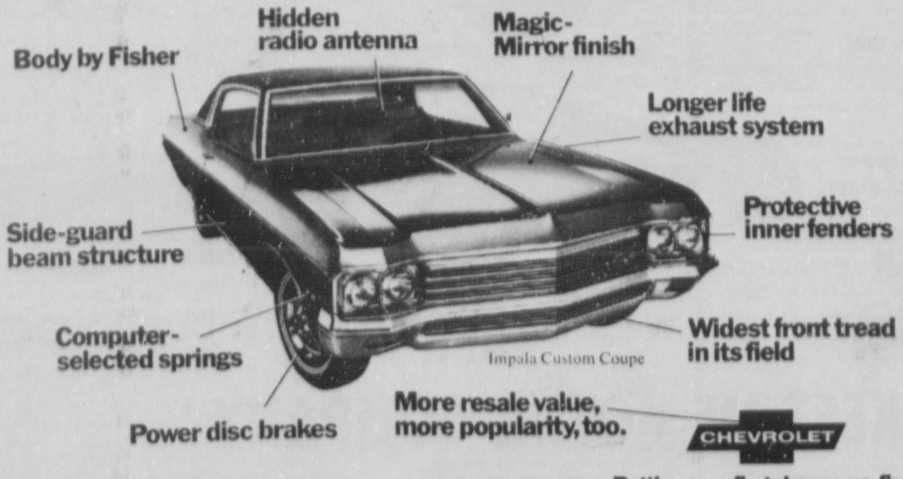

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SHERIFF CLYDE ORTON'S BAR-RESTAURANT at Caruthersville - St. Louis Globe - Democrat Photo.

License Refused for Sheriff Orton's Cocktail Lounge in Caruthersville

CARUTHERSVILLE - who is the center of a state Pemiscot Sheriff Clyde Orton, investigation into wide open liquor law violations and whisky - running into other states, recently tried to open his own cocktail lounge here but was refused a license.

The newly built but never opened plush bar-restaurant was damaged by fire late last year at a time the sheriff was trying to get a liquor license. The license was refused by State Liquor Control Supervisor Harry Wiggins on the grounds it would be a conflict of interest to have a law enforcement official running a bar.

"It's the first time I've ever heard of a sheriff or a police officer wanting to run a tavern in an area where he is supposed to enforce the laws," Wiggins said.

Orton said he built the establishment "because this area needed one" and said the fire was arson. The case has not been solved.

State authorities, including liquor agents and the attorney general's office, are checking to see if the fire was caused by anyone connected with the alleged bootleg activities.

State authorities said they have evidence after an intensive three-month investigation that certain taverns here were illegally selling whiskey to runners who deliver it into the dry counties of Mississippi and Alabama.

Liquor agents from those states were chased from this county by the sheriff in recent months when they tried to trace the source of the liquor supply, the agents told investigators.

Still unsolved here is the gangstyle murder early last year of Lee (Jay) Gatewood, operator of two bars currently under investigation for bootleging whisky.

Gatewood was killed by a shotgun blast as he got out of his car in what authorities believe may have been a grudge killing connected with whisky-running.

Orton said he is unaware of any widespread liquor violations or bootleg whisky operation, but state investigators said hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of liquor yearly is being illegally bought and shipped south with no interference from the sheriff.

Clyde Orton

Fred M. McKay, police chief of nearby Hayti, admitted to The Globe - Democrat that bootlegging, gambling and liquor violations were plentiful in the county but "my hands are tied for political reasons."

Orton, a Democrat, who has headed law enforcement in Pemiscot County for 14 years, put the blame on liquor agents and highway patrolmen if there's any illegal liquor running.

"They aren't taking it out in helicopters. They have to use the highways. The highway patrol has the authority to stop people on the highways," he said.

He has denied threatening or chasing any out-of-state liquor agents from his county.

The state investigation of liquor law violations involves more than 20 establishments in Caruthersville, Hayti and Steele.

Eight persons already have been arrested by state authorities for selling liquor without a license.

Morley News

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Happy Birthday to Dale McClellan.

DISMISSED

Mrs. Odis W. Freeman has been dismissed from the Delta Community Hospital at Sikeston.

Robert Nelson, farmer near here, has a cow that gave birth to twin calves Christmas Eve and the eighth set of twins. The cow now has borne 24 calves.

TREATED AT HOSPITAL

Betty L. Emerson, Morley was treated at the Delta Community Hospital Friday at spilling hot grease on right arm.

FELL DOWN STEPS

Mr. Lewis Matthews went to Blytheville, Ark. Air Force Base last Saturday for x-ray's after he fell down the back steps of his home here in Morley. We are happy to say Mr. Matthews had no broken bones; just some bruises.

VISITING FATHER

Mr. Deller Mott of California was here last week visitinghis father, Mr. Alonza Mott who is in the Southeast Missouri Hospital at Cape Girardeau.

DISMISSED FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. Dan Wise and baby girl have been dismissed from the Delta Community Hospital.

VISITED DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Amzie Cook visited with their daughter, Miss Anna Mae Cook, who was injured in an auto accident Christmas Day. Miss Cook is doing as well as can be expected.

VISITED IN ILLINOIS

Mrs. Mary Craig and children John and Sharon along with Danny Johnson, visited Mr. Frank Carpy, Mr. and Mrs. Toney Slipis and Mr. and Mrs. Ann Jasinsky of Edwardville, Ill.

ADMITTED TO HOSPITAL

Mrs. Murry Peases was admitted to the Delta Community Hospital last week after falling on the snow and breaking her hip.

MORLEY PENTECOSTAL CHURCH

Guest Speaker Jackie Mills: Sunday School, 10:00 A.M., Morning Worship, 11:00 A.M., Evening Worship, 7:00 P.M.

26 attended Sunday School, one visitor was present, Peggy Warren.

MOVED

Mr. and Mrs. T.N. Hagar have moved from their large home in Morley to a smaller home formerly owned by Mr. and Mrs. Cord Grissom.

VISITING MOTHER

Visiting Mrs. Fred Keefer Saturday were her son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Bill Keefer and family of Portageville, Mo.

VISITING MRS. CURD

Visiting Mrs. Grace Curd last week were Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Donner of Sikeston; Mrs. May Davace of Kalamazoo, Michigan, and Mr. Howard Fallowell of Cape Girardeau.

MORLEY CHURCH OF GOD

Rev. Samuel McClellan, Pastor: Sunday School, 9:45 A.M., Morning Worship, 10:45 A.M., Evening Worship, 6:00P.M.

18 attended Sunday School; there were 8 visitors, Rev. and Mrs. Norman Middleton and children of Scott City Church of God. Rev. Middleton was the guest speaker Sunday night.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. H.A. Williams Sunday were their granddaughter and family Mr. and Mrs. James Maxwell and daughter Jennifer of Oklahoma City, Okla. The Maxwell's also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Gene King and daughter of Morley.

VISITED INILLINOIS

Mrs. Forrest Mize of Morley, Mrs. Lois McKim of Oildale, CAlif., and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Owens of Scott City visited with M/Sgt. and Mrs. R. W. Hayes and children and Mrs. Dorris Mize of Scott Air Force Base.

GENE'S SHOPPE

Gene's Shoppe is having her January sale on Dresses, blouses, slacks, and other items being Friday and ending Saturday night January 16 and 17 every thing will te 1/3 off the original price.

Records Filed

BENTON: These legal instruments were filed with John Bollinger, Recorder:

Mable, Russell and Betty Barnes, to Mable and Russell Barnes, WARRANTY lot 24, block 5, Loy's Add. Chaffee.

Richard L. Cox, et al, to Robert M. and Dana Gene Jenkins, WARRANTY lot 28, Lillian A. Smith Add. Sikeston.

Robert A. and Beatrice Dempster, to Apostolic Pentecostal Church of Sikeston, WARRANTY pt lot 5 lot 6, block 51, McCoy and Tanner 9th Add Sikeston.

First Federal Savings and Loan Assn., to Secretary of Housing and Urban Dev. WARRANTY lot 8, block 15, Clayton's Add. Sikeston.

R.M. and Dana Gene Jenkins, to Phillips Petroleum Co. LEASE lot 28, Lillian A Smith Add. Sikeston.

Edith Locke, as Executrix, to Arthur L. and Anita Ziegler, EXECUTOR'S DEED lot 9, 10, 11, block 23, McCoy and Tanner 5th add. Sikeston.

Hazel Malcolm, to James R. and Ethel B. Harris WARRANTY lot 5, block 5, High School Add. Sikeston.

Paul B. and Dorothy V. Ray by Trustee, to First Federal Saving and Loan Assn. TRUSTEE'S DEED lot 8, block

Whaley-Led Group May Boycott Dinner Featuring Agnew

ST. LOUIS (AP) - The chairman of the St. Louis Republican Central Committee said his group would not take part in the fund - raising dinner featuring Vice President Spiro T. Agnew Feb. 10.

Fred O. Whaley said he wrote Elmer E. Smith, state Republican chairman urging the dinner be held in a union - organized hotel. The Republicans selected Stouffer's Riverfront Inn for the dinner. The inn has been picketed as a non-union establishment.

Whaley is a leader of the Republican faction that opposed the election of Smith as GOP state chairman.

Whaley said he would send a letter to Agnew to tell him of the possibility of a picket line at the dinner.

Smith said Agnew's office in Washington already is aware of the situation. He said the vice president has asked Missouri Republicans to clear up the problem before the night of the St. Louis dinner.

Feedgrain Pay Decision Protested

WASHINGTON - U. S. Senators Stuart Symington and Thomas F. Eagleton of Missouri today urged the Nixon Administration to reconsider its decision to withhold advance payments of feedgrain allocations to farmers.

"...the absence of these funds this year will have a severe impact on Missouri's rural economy as a whole," the two Senators said in a letter to Robert P. Mayo, Director of the Bureau of the Budget.

"It will also create a major financial crisis for a gret many individual farmers who must now try to borrow funds from commercial sources at the current high interest rates.

"These funds will in any case be paid out during the summer, and I feel certain that the benefits of making some of them available a few months earlier will far outweigh the liabilities."

Powerful Meteoroids

High-speed meteoroids striking a spacecraft could release kinetic energy equal to more than 1,000 times the explosive energy of an equal weight of TNT, according to Encyclopaedia Britannica.

Todays Health Tip

from DAVID SHY Rph

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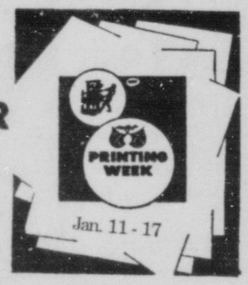

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THE CASUAL LOOK is in obviously for both mother and daughter, in this case Jacqueline Onassis, right, and daughter Caroline Kennedy, left, caught in candid shots outside their Fifth Avenue apartment house in New York.

DRIVING TECHNIQUES EXPLAINED — Sgt. James C. McCarthy discusses LARC (Lighter Amphibious Resupply Cargo) vehicle driving techniques with Army Chief of Staff General W. C. Westmoreland. The conversation took place during the general's visit to Fort Story, Va. Sergeant McCarthy is a member of the 331st Transportation Company.

BUYING? SELLING? RENTING? HIRING? GO CLASSIFIED

NEW YORK (AP) — The Rockefeller Foundation has given $350,000 to the Brooklyn Academy of Music, for four of its resident companies.

The companies, which are to use the money to develop new works, are the Merce Cunningham Dance Company, the Alvin Ailey American Dance Theater, American Ballet Company and Chelsea Theater Center.

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF LANDOWNERS MEETING

Notice is hereby given to owners of land in Big Lake Drainage District, that in accordance with Chapter 242, Section 150, Revised Statutes of Missouri, a meeting of owners of land in said District will be held at the Mississippi County Court Meeting Room, Charleston, Mo.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 3 AT 2:00 P.M.

For the purpose of electing one supervisor for the term of 5 years, and for the purpose of discussing the Districts Maintenance Policy, and for such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Each acre of land upon which benefits have been assessed is entitled to one vote. All owners of land are requested to attend the meeting in person, or by proxy, at the time and place designated.

Done by the order of the Board of Supervisors, this 11th Day of December, 1969.

Gilbert Bryant, President

David B. Brewer, Secretary
94-100

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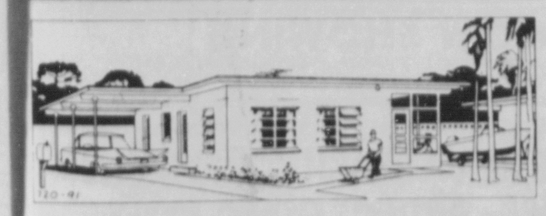

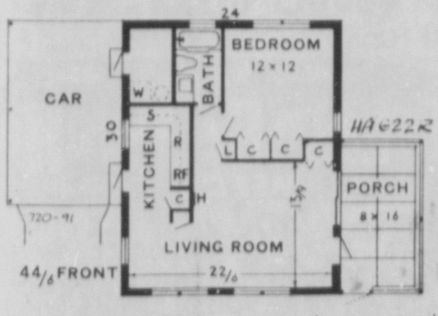

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TIME	KFVS Channel 12 Cape Girardeau	WPSD Channel 6 Paducah	WSIL Channel 3 Harrisburgh
FRIDAY EVENING PROGRAMS			
5	:00 The Regional News- :45 The Scoreboard-Colo. :50 Watching the Weather		:00 Cartoons :30 Evening News (C)
6	:00 CBS Evening News- :30 Family Affair-Co:	:30 Daniel Boone	:00 Cactus Pete (C) :25 Weather (C) :30 Jacques Cousteau
7	:00 The Jim Nabors Hour-	:30 Bob Hope Christmas Show	:30 Bewitched
8	:00CBS Thursday Night Movie-(Escape from Fort Bravo-John Forsythe & William Holden)		:00 Tom Jones (C)
9		:00 Dean Martin Show	:00 It Takes A Thief
10	:00 Channel 12 Reports :15 The Late Weather- :25 The Sports Final- :30 The Merv Griffin	:00 News Picture :30 Tonight Show	:00 Weather & News :30 Dick Cavett (C)
11			
12	:00 Late News Highlights		:00 News & Sign Off
SATURDAY PROGRAMS			
6	:00 Sunrise Semester-Color :30 Channel 12 Breakfast Show Gospel Train-Color	:30 TV Party Line	
7	:00 CBS Morning News-Color :30 Channel 12 Breakfast Show	:00 Today Show	
8	:00 Captain Kangaroo-		
9	:00 The Lucy Show-CBS :30 The Beverly Hillbillies	:00 Romper Room - c :25 Nancy Dickerson :30 Concentration -	:00 Jack Lalanne :30 Morning Movie
10	:30 The Andy Griffith :30 Love of Life-Color	:30 Sale of the Century :30 Hollywood Squares -	
11	:00 Where the Heart Is- :25 Midday News-Color C :30 Search for Tomorrow	:00 Jeopardy - c :30 Who-What- or Where Game :55 Floyd Kalber with News	:00 Bewitched :30 That Girl
12	:00 The Farm Picture- :05 The Noonday News- :20 Watching the Weather :30 As the World Turns-C	:30 News, Farm Markets Pastor Speaks - c Life with Linkletter	:00 Dream House (C) :30 Lets Make A Deal
1	:00 Love Many Splend Thing- :30 The Guiding Light-Color	:00 Days of our Lives :30 The Doctors - c	:00 Newlywed Game :30 Dating Game (C)
2	:00 The Secret Storm- :30 The Edge of Night	:00 Another World :30 Bright Promise	:00 General Hospital :30 One Life To Live
3	:00 Gomer Pyle USMC-Color :30 Magic Castle Cartoon	:00 Name Droppers :30 It Takes Two :55 Calendar - c	:00 Dark Shadows (C) :30 M-Modern Almanac T-W-T-Problems & Challenges F-Lawman
4	:00 The Mike Douglas Show-	:00 Popeye - c :30 Perry Mason :30 Big 6 Dance Party	:00 The Hour

Looking Back

Teachers Organize

50 years ago
January 15, 1920

Monday afternoon the teachers of the Sikeston High School and elementary school organized a Community Teachers' Association, with the following officers: Miss Lydia Chaney, chairman; Miss Maude Phillips, vice-chairman; and Marvin L. Burton, secretary-treasurer. The teachers wish to group themselves so that they can meet conveniently and form a local center for various forms of professional activity.

Louis Carl Erdmann, the seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. L.C. Erdmann, who was injured last Saturday when an automobile driven by Ethel Bradley struck him, is reported to be making a good recovery. The boy suffered a severe fracture at the base of the skull and on the left side, extending into the left ear. He is now being cared for in the deaconess Hospital in St. Louis.

Charleston--The business of the Russell-Whitener Implement Co., here was sold last week to the Ostner Mercantile Co., who have assumed charge. The store will be managed by F. M. Ostner, who has been in charge of the company's store at Diehlstadt, with Oscar Wise and Carl Trickey as his assistants. Arch S. Russell, who has been manager, will remove from this city at an early date, either west or south.

Jackson and Russell Milem left Monday for Sewanee, Tenn., where they are attending the University of the South this winter.

40 years ago
January 15, 1930

Morehouse--J. W. Sarff of Cape Girardeau spent last week here.

Charleston--J. L. Priester spent the weekend in Detroit, Mich.

Matthews--Mrs. M. E. Prouty of Sikeston visited with relatives here during the holidays.

According to official readings of the government gauges by Glenn Fisher of the State Grain Inspection office here, Sikeston has had a total rainfall of 8.94 inches since the first of the new year.

30 years ago
January 15, 1940

John Allen Neal, 48, who farmed two miles west of Matthews, died Thursday at St. Francis Hospital, Cape Girardeau, of a kidney disease. He suffered a protracted illness that was critical the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Ensor, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Dudley and Mr. and Mrs. George Kirk were dinner guests Saturday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chase in Cape Girardeau.

Wilbur Ensor of the State Highway Department office was taken to Southeast Missouri Hospital, Cape Girardeau, Saturday night, suffering with a strepodococcic infection of the throat.

Displaying consistently good form, Coach Vernon Green's Bulldogs had things pretty much their own way Friday night at Perryville and defeated the Pirates, 33-10 holding the losers to a single field goal the entire evening.

20 years ago
January 15, 1950

Malvin Forrest, 31, an employe of Hart's Bakery, sustained a laceration of the back of his left hand when the member came in contact with a slicing machine blade Thursday. He was treated at the Delta Community Hospital.

Hospital notes. Mr. and Mrs. John Felker, Sikeston, baby boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Williford, East Prairie, baby boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Harris, Sikeston, baby girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Donaldson Cook, Morehouse, baby girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Wright, Canalou, baby girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Malvin Cagle, Essex, baby girl.

Funeral services for Henry Best, 76 year old former resident of Sikeston, were held Saturday at the Trinity Lutheran Church in Cape Girardeau.

Rex Theatre, tomorrow, "Fury at Furnace Creek" with Victor Mature and Coleen Gray. Malone Theatre, tomorrow, Robert Young and Barbara Hale in "And Baby Makes Three."

The Prayer
from
The Upper Room

I say unto you, That except your righteousness shall exceed the righteousness of the scribes and Pharisees, ye shall in no case enter into the kingdom of heaven. (Matthew 5:20)

PRAYER: Spirit of god, remove the deadness from my religion. Give me a hunger and thirst for the reality Christ offers, I now hunger, I now knock, I wait, I take by faith, I receive now. Amen.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

OFFICERS OF KINGSWAY Chapter 144, Royal Arch Masons installed at Masonic Temple, were front row, from left, Elbert F. Sloan treasurer; Walter A. Powell, king; W. Earl Marcum, high priest; Melvin E. Moyers, scribe, nd August V. Butlet, secretary; back row, Clarence E. Sadler, principal sojourner; Larry K. Lindsey, master second veil; Owen E. Nance, master third veil; Donald L. Swilley, chaplain, and Travis Holt, sentinel.

If You Were the Judge

Fleshy Entitled to More Time on Train

By Jack Strauss, LL.B.

While Farmer Gray bred swine, his wife great fat. She was so fat, in fact, that while traveling by train to see her sister, she nearly got killed. After unwedging herself from her seat at her destination, she attempted to disembark with disastrous results.

As she was about to step down to the station platform, the train lurched forward as it was about to start up again and sent Mrs. Gray tumbling. She sued the railroad company for her injuries.

"I wasn't given enough time to leave the train," complained Mrs. Gray in court. " The fact is, I'm built for comfort, not for speed."

"That's where the fault lies," responded the attorney for the railroad company. "We carry passengers and not freight. While there was more than ample time for a person to leave the train, she was as slow as molasses in getting off."

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you make the railroad company pay hefty Mrs. Gray for her injuries?

This is how the judge ruled: YES! The judge held that a fleshy woman has a right to ride on a train and is entitled to more time in leaving a train than might be required for a foot-racer or a greyhound. Mrs. Gray, concluded the judge, did not receive enough time to disembark.

(Based upon a 1896 Illinois Appellate Court Decision)

A baby kangaroo is slightly longer than one at birth, according to Encyclopaedia Britannica.

Probate Court

BENTON: These cases were heard here recently:

Estate of Lula Lesure, a minor, Nora Lesure, Successor Guardian; FINAL SETTLEMENT; ORDER OF DISCHARGE (attaining the age of 21, final settlement was made and estate consisting of $3,964.36, cash in bank is distributed to former minor. Successor Guardian is discharged.)

Estate of Edward Bles, deceased, Mary Westrich, Administratrix; SEMI-ANNUAL SETTLEMENT. (disbursements of $5,193.96, leaving balance of $12,470.37)

Estate of H.S. Lumsden, deceased, Nelson Lumsden, Adm. With Will Annexed. FINAL SETTLEMENT. (120 acres to Alice Lumsden, Kathleen Duckett and Barbara Albury as co-trustees)

Estate of Quinn Mays, deceased, Toni Mays, Executrix. DEMAND ALLOWED. ($762.81 bal. on open account for farm implements, parts, repairs.)

Settings- Circ. Court

Thursday January 15th 1940, Tom Simms vs. Shell Oil Co., DAMAGES.

State vs. R.J. Swieger, STEALING OVER VALUE OF $50.00.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

Marriage Licenses

BENTON: These marriage license's have been recorded with John Bollinger:

Larry Thomas Holmes, Illmo and Helen Rose Dirnberger, Chaffee, were married there by Rev. James J. Holmes.

Jerry Wayne Rosson and Lillie Mae French, both of Charleston, were married there by Rev. Kirby W. Trew, Jr.

Joseph Edward Birdsong, Avondale and Glenda Gennetta Wolverton, Sikeston, were married there by Rev. Tommy Kidd.

David Lee Auston, Maplewood, St. Louis and Deborah Sue Williams, Morley, were married there by Rev. George Huffstutter.

Corey Michael Condon, and Christine Mozina both of Joliet, Ill., were married in Sikeston, by Rev. Harold G. Lohamann.

Theodore Edgar Hicks, Sikeston, and Georgia Alice Jacox, Morley, were married there by Rev. Robert W. Carrow.

Paul Terry Kester, Scott City, and Dianna Lynn Johnston, Illmo, were married in Scott City, by Rev. Clay Brooks.

Thomas Bruce Castleman, Scott City, and Marjorie Darlene Lynn, Cape Girardeau, were married in Scott City by Rev. Clay Brooks.

Franklin David Welter and Linda Lucille Halter both of Chaffee, were married there by Rev. James J. Holmes.

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Fastback - V-8 engine, automatic transmission

1969 FORD
Torino - 2 dr. hardtop, V-8 engine, power steering, automatic transmission, air conditioning, vinyl roof

1966 FORD
Fairlane 500 Wagon - power steering, automatic transmission, air condition

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2 Try	32 Smart	62 If	
3 Don't	33 You	63 Spirit	
4 Press	34 Luck	64 Or	
5 Let	35 Separate	65 To	
6 Your	36 Are	66 Action	
7 Be	37 No	67 Hand	
8 Your	38 To	68 Driving	
9 To	39 An	69 Someone's	
10 Attracted	40 Like	70 Today	
11 Keep	41 Prepared	71 Big	
12 Run	42 Animating	72 Misplace	
13 Your	43 To	73 And	
14 An	44 Telling	74 Makers	
15 Your	45 Out	75 Champion	
16 Expenses	46 What'll	76 Speak	
17 Race	47 Yourself	77 Your	
18 Advantage	48 Be	78 Your	
19 It's	49 Trend	79 You'll	
20 Show	50 Forget	80 Ambitions	
21 Easy	51 Of	81 Today's	
22 May	52 A	82 Alive	
23 Mind	53 From	83 Brassy	
24 Is	54 By	84 Mind	
25 Others	55 Opportune	85 Valuables	
26 Be	56 To	86 Horoscope	
27 Wander	57 Happen	87 Win	
28 Get	58 Trouble-	88 Today	
29 Gained	59 Afraid	89 Frankly	
30 There's	60 In	90 Idea	

ARIES MAR. 21 – APR. 19: 2- 9-11-13 / 63-73-80-82
TAURUS APR. 20 – MAY 20: 12-15-17-40 / 52-75-79-87
GEMINI MAY 21 – JUNE 20: 3- 5- 8-23 / 27-62-68
CANCER JUNE 21 – JULY 22: 30-39-42-49 / 60-78-81-86
LEO JULY 23 – AUG. 22: 26-32-35-47 / 53-58-74
VIRGO AUG. 23 – SEPT. 22: 20-25-33-36 / 41-56-61
LIBRA SEPT. 23 – OCT. 22: 14-18-24-29 / 54-55-66
SCORPIO OCT. 23 – NOV. 21: 31-48-59-65 / 76-77-84-89
SAGITTARIUS NOV. 22 – DEC. 21: 16-22-28-45 / 51-67-70
CAPRICORN DEC. 22 – JAN. 19: 4- 6-34-37 / 44-46-57
AQUARIUS JAN. 20 – FEB. 18: 19-21-38-50 / 64-72-85-88
PISCES FEB. 19 – MAR. 20: 1- 7-10-43 / 69-71-83-90

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Good Adverse Neutral

SIDE GLANCES by Gill Fox

"You wouldn't happen to have a flight that just gets you there, would you?"

Today In U.S. History

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Thursday, Jan. 15, the 15th day of 1970. There are 350 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1922, the Irish Free State was established.

On this date:

In 1759, the British Museum opened.

In 1831, the first honeymoon trip was made by rail. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pierson, Ramapo, N.Y., traveled six miles on the new South Carolina railroad.

In 1870, a cartoon in Harper's Weekly depicted the Democratic party as a donkey. It is believed this was the first time the symbol was used for the party.

In 1919, Pianist Ignace Jan Paderewski became the first premier of the new Republic of Poland.

In 1936, Japan withdrew from the London Naval Conference after the other four nations refused to grant the Japanese parity.

In 1953, President Harry Truman made a farewell broadcast from the White House. He was the first outgoing president to do so.

Ten years ago— the Soviet government approved a reduction of more than one million men in the armed forces of the U.S.S.R.

Five years ago — 90-year-old Sir Winston Churchill was described as in grave condition after suffering a stroke.

One year ago — Three Soviet cosmonauts were shot into orbit to rendezvous with a cosmonaut already circling the earth.

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TIZZY by Kate Osann

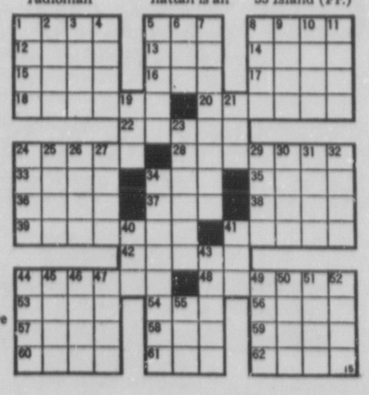
"In my opinion, sir, some history SHOULD be rewritten!"

Water Vessels

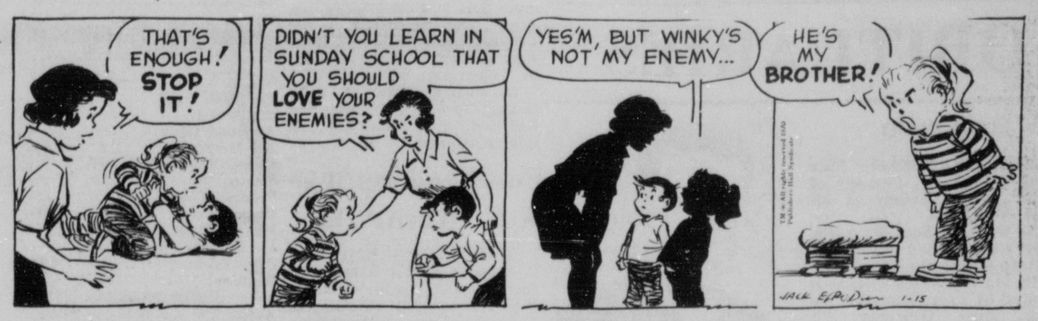
ACROSS
1 Flat-bottomed boat
5 World War II vessel
8 Three-masted vessel
12 Corn bread
13 Japanese name
14 Lake —— ore carrier
15 Asseverate
16 The Queen Elizabeth 2 is a —— cruise ship
17 Arachnid
18 Tranquil
20 Spiritless
22 Retinue
24 Remains behind
28 Withstands
33 Strays
34 Exist
35 Barge on the ——
36 Fork prong
37 Yugoslav city
38 Small island
38 North or South ——
41 Meat cut
42 Epithet of Demeter
44 Solid (comb. form)
48 Pays back
53 Comfort
54 Narrow inlet
56 Kirghiz mountains
57 Crafts
58 Cloth measure
59 Eft
60 Let it stand
61 English river
62 Lampreys

DOWN
1 Mineral springs
2 Inlet for a pirate ship
3 Heavy blow
4 Have existed
5 Transatlantic vessel
6 Female saint (ab.)
7 Used by tugboats (pl.)
8 Ancient Greek measure
9 Dry
10 Ceremony
11 Sharp
19 Net tons (ab.)
21 Conclusion
23 Necessity for a ship's radioman
24 Bristle
25 Nautical term
26 English composer
27 Belgian river
29 Distinct part
30 Elevation
31 Feminine appellation
32 Look for
34 Moored, as a boat
40 The SS Manhattan is an —— breaker
41 Observe
43 Papal cape
44 The seven ——
45 Small pastry
46 Italian city
47 Pause
49 Window glass
50 Toward the sheltered side
51 Light sailing vessel
52 Perches
55 Island (Fr.)

Answer to Previous Puzzle



THE RYATTS by Elrod



PEANUTS by Schulz

MARY WORTH by Saunders & Ernst

CAPTAIN EASY by Leslie Turner

STEVE CANYON by Milton Caniff

THE PHANTOM by Falk & Berry

ALLEY OOP by V.T. Hamlin

BEETLE BAILEY by Mort Walker

OBITUARIES

ELIGE CURD

CAPE GIRARDEAU — Elige Herman Curd, 61, formerly of Dexter, died Tuesday at his home.

He was born Sept. 12, 1908. Curd was married March 21, 1931 to Wilma Aline Goodman.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by a son, James Vernon Curd, Cape Girardeau; his mother, Mrs. Carrie Curd Carr, Dexter; three brothers, Junior, Wm., and Thomas Curd, all of Dexter; four sisters, Mrs. Leona Workman, Advance, Mrs. Fern Courter, Zalma, Mrs. Bonnie Swinger, Dexter, and Mrs. Martha Stanberry, Morehouse, and two grandchildren.

Friends may call after 10 a.m. Thursday morning at the Watkins and Sons Funeral Home in Dexter.

Services will be Friday at 2 p.m. in the funeral home The Rev. O. M. Montgomery will conduct the service.

Burial will be in the Triplet Cemetery near Dexter.

ADA BROUGHTON

NEW MADRID - Mrs. Ada Broughton, 95, life long New Madrid resident, died at 8:30 p.m. Wednesday in the Missouri Delta Community hospital in Sikeston, where she had been a patient since Monday.

She was born March 21, 1874 in New Madrid. She married Samuel Edward Broughton Jr. in 1908. He preceeded her in death June 24, 1939.

Survivors include three neices, Mrs. Ruth Lee of Portageville, Miss Linda Stewart of New Madrid, and Mrs. Olive Christian of Crestwood; and a nephew, Bill Burns of St. Louis.

Recitation of the Rosary will be 7:30 p.m. Friday in Richards Funeral Home.

Services will be at 11 a.m. Saturday at the Immaculate Conception Catholic church with the Rev. Fr. Amel Shibley, Malden, officiating.

Burial will be in Evergreen cemetery.

Raymond A. May

Malden Sergeant Die in Vietnam

MALDEN -- S-Sgt. Raymond Allen May, 33 - year - old career serviceman with the Army was killed in action Jan. 9 while serving in Vietnam.

May was commander of a military vehicle, and was killed while on a military mission. He has completed more than 15 years of service with the army.

His body will be returned to the states, and funeral arrangements are pending the arrival of the body. Arrangements will be announced by he Landess Funeral Home.

May was born Nov. 5, 1936 at Gideon, the son of David Allen and Flow Bateman May. He was married at Malden on Nov. 3, 1956 to Miss Lillian Baker, and attended Gideon schools prior to inlisting in the U.S. Army. His wife and their three children reside at 103-A Willis-Drive, Industrial Park, Malden, and were notified of his death Monday.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Lillian May of Malden; two sons, Raymond Allen Jr., and Kevin Lacy and one daughter, Sheri Juanita, all of the home; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David A. May of Gideon; four brothers, Dale of St. Louis, Jerry of Godfrey, Ill., Coy of Blytheville AFB, Ark., and Gary of Rockford, Ill.; and two sisters. Mrs. Shirley Abernathy of Manhattan, Kan., and Mrs. Nancy Coleman of Moro, Ill.

ROSA B. BUSH

BLOOMFIELD -- A rural Bloomfield woman was found dead in her home at 2 p.m. Tuesday, Stoddard County authorities said.

They identified the woman as Mrs. Rosa B. Bush, a widow 76 who lived alone. Authorities said she had been dead since about midnight Monday.

Stoddard County Coroner Ray Rainey said there was no evidence of foul play. He said it appeared Mrs. Bush had fallen, fractured a hip, and died of shock and exposure.

The body was found by Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Shelly, neighbors of Mrs. Bush, who said they entered the house when the light was seen burning Tuesday afternoon.

The body was taken to Rainey Funeral Home at Dexter.

Hit-Song Composer H.W. Woods Dies

PHOENIX, Ariz. (AP) — Harry MacGregor Woods, 74, composer of "When the Moon Comes Over the Mountain" and more than 300 other songs, was struck and killed by a car Tuesday night near his home. Among other old hits composed by Woods were "Side by Side," "I'm Looking Over A Four Leafed Clover," and "When the Red Red Robin Comes Bob Bob Bobbin' Along."

Post-Pendergast K.C. Mayor Dies

KANSAS CITY (AP) — John B. Gage, mayor of Kansas City for three terms in the turbulent days following the smashing of the Pendergast Democratic machine, died today.

Gage, 82, died of injuries received Dec. 11 when he was struck by a truck near his downtown law office.

Under Gage's leadership a near bankrupt city, lawless and machine- rule ridden in the 1930s made a comeback that attracted as much national attention over the next decade as had the gang slayings, unrestrained red light districts and general decadence of the preceding 10 years.

Former Legislator And Publisher Dies

BRANSON, Mo. (AP) — Former state Sen. William E. Freeland, 91, of Forsyth, died Wednesday in Skaggs Memorial Hospital following a heart attack.

Freeland was publisher emeritus of the Taney County Republican and the White River Leader and was a past president of the Missouri Press Association.

He bought the Republican in 1917.

Freeland served in the Missouri House from 1923 through 1935 and the Missouri Senate from 1936 through 1940.

He is survived by his wife, Minnie, and two daughters, Mrs. Freda Ingenthron of Forsyth and Miss Maude Freeland of Columbia.

River Stages

	Flood	Now	Ch
St. Louis	30	-0.9	-0.4
Chester	27	11.6	+0.6
Cape Girardeau	32	18.2	+0.6
Cairo	40	22.0	-3.1
New Madrid	34	14.8	-2.5
Caruthersville	32	17.0	-2.4
Memphis	34	15.6	-2.4

The Roman naturalist Pliny and Elder believed that earthquakes were protests from Mother Earth against wicked miners who stole her gold and silver.

Local Stocks

	BID	ASK
First Nat. Bank of Sikeston	6	6½
Anheuser Busch	74¾	75¼
Ark Mo Power	14	14½
Calvert Exploration	5¾	6
Clinton Oil	9¼	9½
Frontier Tower	1¾	2¼
Olson Bros	3	3½
Malone and Hyde	20½	21
Mo Beef Packers	24¾	
Pabst Brewing	44¾	45½
Wetterau	23	23¾
LISTED STOCKS		
Airlift		3
Allied Stores		27¾
American Motors		10
Amer. Tel & Tel.		49¾
Chrysler		32½
Columbia Gas		25¾
Eaton Mfg.		37
Ford Motors		40¾
General Motors		67½
New England Elect		21½
Transogram		13¾

EDITORS NOTE: The Bid Price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximate price if one were a buyer. Quotations furnished by Hugh T. McCollum registered representative for Fusz Schmelzle and Co. 1405 East Malone. Phones 471-5350.

Five Most Active Stocks

The Dow- Jones Industrials at noon were down 3.83 on volume of 5,600,000 shares.

Trans. Inv	21 1/2	+ 1/8
Am Air.	25 3/4	Unch.
Tex. Indrr.	26	— 2 1/4
Lum	15 3/8	+ 1 1/8
Delta Air.	30	— 1/8

STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST

AT & T	49 5/8
Anheuser Busch	75 bid
Ark-Mo Power	14 bid
Banff Oil	12
Chrysler	32
Evans Prod.	35
Ford	40 5/8
General Motors	67
Keystone Indrr.	11 1/8
Mid- Amer. Great Plains	3 1/2 bid
Butler Nat.l.	12 3/4 bid
Perini	76
Transamerica	23 3/4
Transogram	13
Zapata Norness	37 1/4

These prices were provided at approximately 12 Noon today by Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith, 515 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo. You can call TOLL-FREE for quotes or other information by dialing 1-800-392- 3430.

Chlorophyll is the substance which makes the leaves of plants look green.

Livestock Market

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill. (AP) - Estimates for Friday: hogs 5,500; cattle 200; calves 25; sheep 100.

Hogs 7,000; barrows and gilts 25 to 75 lower; 1-3 200-240 lbs 27.25-27.75; 20 head 210 lbs 28.00; 2-3 210-250 lbs 26.50-27.25; 2-4 240-290 lbs 25.00-26.75; 1-2 170-180 lbs 25.25; sows steady to 25 lower; 1-3 300-400 lbs 23.50-24.00.

Cattle 900; calves 50; steers and heifers steady; slaughter steers choice 925-1,050 lbs 29.00-29.50; good and low choice 950-1,100 lbs 27.00-29.00; heifers choice 800-900 lbs 27.50-28.00; good 25.00-27.00; choice vealers 38.00- 42.00.

Sheep 200; steady; slaughter lambs choice and few prime 80-110 lbs 29.00-29.50; ewes good and choice 6.50-7.00.

The White House

The gray sandstone walls of the Executive Mansion were painted white to cover smoke stains after the building was burned during the War of 1812, and thereafter it began to be popularly known as the White House. This name was first used on the president's stationery during the administration of President Theodore Roosevelt.

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SOWS:
400 lbs. down - $21.00 to $22.50
Total Cattle 692 Head
BUTCHER CATTLE-
Good - $27.00 to $27.50
Commercial - $26.00 to $27.00
Utility - $25.00 to $26.00
Canners and Cutters - $18.00 to $22.00
Veal - $33.00 to $40.00
Bulls - $22.00 to $24.00
STOCKER CALVES-
Choice - $34.00 to $35.00
Good - $33.00 to $34.00
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Plain - $29.00 to $31.00
STOCKER COWS-
Choice - $21.00 to $24.00
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Ford '54-'64 (most)	9.17	12.17
Chevy. '54-'66 (most) Chevelle '64-'67	9.77	12.77
Ford '65-'66	9.97	12.97
Pontiac '61-'65 single	11.67	14.67
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Ford '61-'68	9.17	12.17
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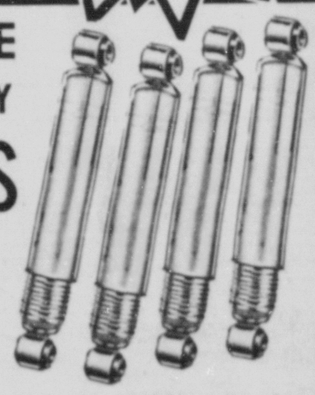

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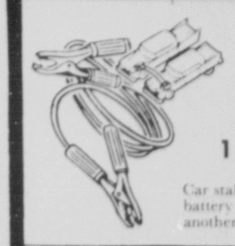

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